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GOVERNOR STASSEN TAKES OVER OFFICE

Taking office Tuesday, Harold E. Stassen, Minnesota's new governor, mapped out a program for advancement of the state which is attracting wide attention, according to dispatches from the capital and other parts of the state.

Stassen in his first address as governor at 10 A. M. Tuesday, Stassen appeared before the Minnesota legislature at 2 P. M. that afternoon, one day earlier than governors usually give their inaugural address, and outlined his proposals for raising the standards of governmental service and improving conditions in Minnesota.

Repeating his campaign pledge to divorce the selection of state employees from politics, Stassen asked for enactment of a civil service system that will place their appointment on basis of merit. He opposed inclusion in the bill of any provision to authorize removal of present employees without examination. He stated there would be no housecleaning of present employees who are performing honest and efficient service.

Stassen proposed that relief and welfare agencies be placed under a single department of social security; that various tax collection agencies be placed under one department; and that work now done by the commission of administration and finance be re-organized.

The governor stated he would request an immediate investigation of the various state departments to determine their condition. Declining to accept the budget prepared by the outgoing administration, he indicated he would submit later to the legislature budget recommendations calling for lower expenditures.

He repeated his proposals for a labor relations act to promote peaceful adjudication of labor disputes; urged increased development of the tourist business; and asked favorable consideration of measures that will increase jobs.

FIRE AT RESKINE

A fire which started presumably from a defective chimney, did considerable damage at the Bergh Hardware store at Reskine last Thursday afternoon.

The Bergh and McIntosh fire departments experienced much difficulty in reaching the seat of the blaze between double ceilings in the one story building. Some of the stock was carried out, and some was drenched by smoke and water. Loss is partly covered by insurance.

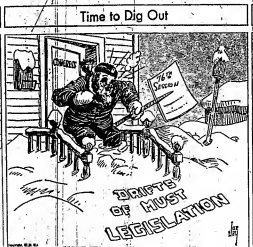
A. M. EDSTROM IS DEAD

Word was received here this week of the death of A. M. Edstrom, age 60, which occurred Monday at his home at Randolph, Minn. He had been ill for some years so death was not entirely unexpected.

Mr. Edstrom formerly was a well known resident of St. Hilaire in 1903 to be employed at the old Rapp & Post store, where he formed a partnership with N. G. Osterberg and they operated a store and land office, and also built and operated a store at St. Hilaire. While here, Mr. Edstrom was united in marriage to Miss Rose Giesbert, and they later returned to his former home community at Randolph to engage in farming. Mr. Edstrom is survived by his widow and three children: Kenneth, Mrs. Allen Childs (Marie), and Mrs. Clint Benjamin (Alice) and by six grandchildren, who all reside in the vicinity of Randolph. He also is survived by one sister, Mrs. V. Swanson. His mother and a sister died about a year ago.

Miss Hulsh Giesbert, sister of Mrs. Edstrom, left yesterday to be present at the funeral which was held last night at Randolph, with burial in the family plot at Spring Garden.

A "Casey" Aslakson, a traveling evangelist and graduate of the Bible school at Anneton Temple at Los Angeles, Calif., will conduct a series of evangelistic services at the local M. E. church starting Sunday evening with the week ending Friday night. Services will be held Sunday, Wednesday and Friday nights until further notice.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief News
Concerning People You Know

School re-opens next Monday, Jan. 9, after the annual holiday vacation of two weeks.

Paul Olson is back home after being employed in the construction camp at Lake Benson during the summer and fall.

As there were no wakes of other observance, pending of the old year and birth of the new, they were very quiet in this village.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nelson of Eolia, visited briefly in the village Saturday while enroute home after marketing poultry at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Graham and daughter returned Friday evening after having spent Christmas with Mrs. Graham's relatives at Bertha, Minn.

After lurking in sub-zero depths during Christmas week, the mercury commenced crawling up last Saturday evening and moderate temperatures have since prevailed.

George Wilson, field supervisor for the Palmolive-Bear Company in Fargo territory, was recently promoted to a similar position in Twin Cities territory with headquarters at Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Beebe spent Christmas at the home of Mrs. Beebe's relatives in near Mantato. Mrs. Beebe remained there for a longer visit while Mr. Beebe went on to look after his real estate interests near McAllen, Texas. From there he planned to go to California to spend a month or more with his relatives.

John Gullingrød, veteran county treasurer of this county, turned over the affairs of his office Tuesday morning to his successor, A. E. Johnson. Mr. Gullingrød has given the county excellent service during the 30 years he has been in office, during which he has not been missed by many old friends.

Annual business meeting of the Evang. Mission church was held at the church yesterday afternoon.

Miss Bernice Anderson, instructor in the local high school is spending her holiday vacation touring in Florida and other southern states.

There are still left a few copies of 1938 community calendars. Those who have not received a copy, may have one by calling at the Spectator office.

Miss Alice Stottum leaves last of the week to resume her teaching work in the public schools at Fargo after spending the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sever Stottum.

Final meeting of the outgoing village council was held at the village building Tuesday night, and organization meeting of the new council was held at the same place the following evening.

Arthur, Sigurd and Helga Vik returned Tuesday after having spent the holidays at the home of their sister, Mrs. W. Carlson, at Minneapolis. Art bought a new car while in the cities, and the party returned with it.

Senator E. L. Tungeberg, representing this district in the legislature, received a liberal share of committee appointments at the opening of the legislative session this week. Mr. Tungeberg is named on six of the Orange side.

The White warriors of the whitest tournament were guests of the Orange side at lunch last night after noosing out a victory by a slim margin. In the five games played thus far, the White team has three victories to two for the Orange side.

There are political parties in this country, not because there are two sides to every question, but because there are too many of every office—inside and outside.

LEGISLATURE CONVENES

The fifty-first session of the Minnesota legislature opened Tuesday morning to consider a great many matters of utmost importance to the state. After hearing Governor Stassen's speech Tuesday afternoon, the legislators adjourned until Wednesday noon before getting underway what promises to be a very interesting and busy 90 day session.

Nelson-Weekwerth Nuptials
Saturday afternoon at a quiet home wedding at three o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson, occurred the marriage of Myrtle Nelson to Clarence Weekwerth, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Weekwerth of Thief River Falls.

Preceding the ceremony Miss Margaret Dahl of St. Hilaire sang a solo and then played the wedding march during the bridal procession. The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. Dahl of Hillburn.

The single ring ceremony of Miss Nels Nelson was a beautiful one. The bride wore a lovely gown made in ample length with a tight fitting bodice and puffed sleeves. She wore pink coronations with Bethlehem Star flowers. Her sister, Evelyn, who was her sister's only attendant, wore an ample length gown of pale pink tulle fastened on the same lines as that worn by the bride and carried white coronations.

The groom's man was his brother, James Weekwerth. Following the ceremony a delicious wedding lunch was served centered by a beautiful tiered wedding cake ornamented with pink candy roses and green leaves to carry out the color scheme.

Mrs. Carl Albert and Gladys Albert were in charge of the serving. Besides members of the wedding party these present were: Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Weekwerth, Owen E. Walker, Mrs. H. H. Old, Donald and Allen Weekwerth, and Mrs. Richard Peterson, Lilian Albert, Axel Rasmussen and out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lewellyn Rose of Crookston.

The young couple will reside in Thief River Falls where Mr. Weekwerth is employed.

Manford Dahl, who is serving his medical internship at Ancker hospital at Minneapolis, is expected home the latter part of the week to spend a short vacation with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahl.

Miss Margaret Dahl, R. N. returned Tuesday evening to her work at Minneapolis after spending a short vacation here with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahl.

ROY AGAIN HEADS PENNINGTON BOARD

At the annual meeting of the county board held Tuesday at the court house, County Commissioner Paul Roy of this village was signaled honored by unanimous election for the fifth consecutive time as chairman of the board. The honor is well deserved as Mr. Roy has served the county faithfully and well over since his first election as member of the board in 1922, and will meet with hearty approval of all constituents throughout the county.

This meeting of the board, which continued until yesterday, was given over to making plans for operating the various divisions of the county. The board will appear in all affairs for the coming year.

The Thief River Falls Times was named the official paper of the county, and the Spectator was named to carry second publication of the official county financial statement, the personal property tax list, the Dequency tax list, and the financial statement will appear in all papers in the county as they appear in previous years.

Three new county officers: Paul A. Lundgren, county coronary; A. R. Johansen, treasurer, and Richard Dahlqvist, county superintendent of schools, entered upon their duties Tuesday morning.

GREENBUSH SCHOOL BURNS

The public school building at Greenbush, erected 19 years ago at a cost of \$80,000, was gutted by fire Monday night. Starting from a cause from the upper rooms, the fire had gained such headway when it discovered that nothing could be done to save the building. Only two walls remained standing of the five buildings two hours after the discovery of the blaze. In addition to the school equipment, the household effects of the superintendent and his family, who resided in the building, were destroyed. The latter were spending the holidays at Burnsville at the time of the fire. Plans are being made for transportation of high school pupils to nearby schools, and to provide temporary quarters for the grades when school re-opens next Monday. A church located near the school was damaged for a time, but was not damaged.

NEW HIGHWAY HEAD

Michael J. Hoffman of St. Paul, long connected with the state highway department as chief bridge engineer, was named state highway commissioner yesterday by Governor Stassen to succeed N. W. Ekberg, resigned. With the appointment come orders from the governor to clean out all "dead wood" and unnecessary employees in the highway department.

OLD TIME GOSPEL MEETINGS

At the Methodist church in St. Hilaire, beginning Sunday, January 8 at 7:45 P. M. and continuing each Wednesday, Friday and Sunday thereafter at the same hour.

EVANG. A. "CASEY" ASLAKSON
Musician and Graduate of
L. I. F. E. Bible School, Angeles Temple
Los Angeles, California

COME! COME! COME!

New Year Greetings!

At outset of the new year, we wish to thank one and all for all the favors extended during 1938.

By giving you the same good values and service as in the past, we hope to merit a continuation in 1939.

That the New Year will be even better than you hope or anticipate, is the sincere wish of

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St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

Unusual Coincidence Attends Visit of Governor of Nebraska

Executive of State Without Debt Appears at Moment Treasury Announces Huge Federal Debt; Spend Less When Income Drops, Cornhusker Formula.

By WILLIAM BRUCKNER
WFO Service, National Press Bureau, Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON—Gov. H. L. Cochran of Nebraska, visiting Washington recently, Governor of states get around to Washington visits every now and then, but in the case of Governor Cochran's visit, there was a very unusual coincidence. On the day of his arrival, the treasury department happened to make public its routine monthly statement of the national debt and expenditures. It was late in December, so the treasury statement served to make half of the federal government's fiscal year.

There was, of course, nothing the treasury issued a draft statement. But it was significant, even more so that the treasury statement showed for the month of December a high rate of deficit of one of the states that has no state debt. Not a penny due, the state of Nebraska. It would likely be in the treasury's hands, to be accounted for by the state and, further, it restricted the state's ability to borrow money for its cash needs.

Some may dispute with me but I was very much impressed with the fact in the case of the Nebraska political jurisdiction. On Nebraska government year is in December, the outstanding bonds of the state are \$10,000,000, and the state's income is \$10,000,000. It is a time when one of the states, Nebraska, does not owe a cent of debt.

Governor Explains How His State Kept Out of Debt

I had quite a conversation with Governor Cochran who was elected for the third consecutive term in November—being one of two Democratic governors in the United States to be re-elected—about how the state had come through the depression with taxes low and no state debt.

I reminded him that most every other state had added to its debt that taxes were higher and new taxes were added in every year. He said that Nebraska, with many of the same problems, had kept its record clear. So, exactly what is the answer?

"The answer is very simple," the governor replied. "It is to keep the state out of debt. There is hardly a new tax in Nebraska."

"It has been the policy of my administration to keep the state out of debt. It is not to what we could pay for. If we state income tax, we have a right to it. I insisted that we spent less. After all, I guess that if you can save—spend less when you have less income."

How about those taxes?

"Well, I'm much the same size," Mr. Cochran went on. "We feel that agriculture and manufacturing, retailing and service, every kind of industry, has a right to survive. I believe these engaged in it have a right to a reasonable profit. I reward for their work and efficiency in their work. Every year a new tax is added it comes out of the whole pie. The whole pie is going to pay and it is unfair for a state government to take everything. The state exists for the people, not the people for a state."

State Results of Minority Pressure From Many Angles

I called the governor's attention to the fact that the current fiscal year, the national government is scheduled to spend something like \$10,000,000,000, whereas the income, the state, will hardly exceed five billions. The observation struck him.

"That's what you get for letting government go into debt," he said. "There you have the state government, nearly bankrupt, and the state government is in a worse position than I have been."

His campaign had been a fight for his own money, and he had been paid for his own money. I think it is worse to be paid for his own money, or to be paid for his own money, or to be paid for his own money.

"And here is something for you to think about. It is the fact that the state government is in a worse position than I have been. It is the fact that the state government is in a worse position than I have been. It is the fact that the state government is in a worse position than I have been."

Within a few days after Governor Cochran's visit, the treasury department announced that the federal government had a deficit of \$10,000,000,000. It was a record for the federal government.

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WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON

NEW YORK.—Once, at an early date in the past, this reporter went young and innocent, became involved in an argument with certain of the native clergy, and was expelled from the city.

Medea K. O. Will and Fever in S. A.

Only dog must. Every correspondent who has been to the city of New York knows only enough Spanish to get him into trouble, and was called to the city of New York. It was the first time that the city of New York was called to the city of New York. It was the first time that the city of New York was called to the city of New York.

So, today, it seemed almost like old news to read in a dispatch from Lima that the city of New York was called to the city of New York. It was the first time that the city of New York was called to the city of New York.

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WHAT to EAT and WHY

C. Houston Goudiss Discusses the Diet of Expectant Mothers. Some General Rules for Wise Eating of This Important Time

By C. HOUSTON GOUDISS

DISTINGUISHED writers and sociologists, both here and abroad, have concerned themselves in recent years with the writing of a Child's Charter and a Baby's Bill of Rights. These efforts are commendable because they demonstrate a forward-looking attitude. . . . a genuine attempt to better the lot of the next generation.

Indirectly, they represent a concerted effort to do for children in general what mothers have always tried to do individually for their own children.

Before a baby is born, but not every mother realizes what all nutrients mean—that a baby is not a mere bundle of nerves, but a small creature of a great degree, the very foundation of good health for the child are laid down in the mother's body.

Unfortunately, a pregnant woman is often a victim of the diet of the expectant mother. It is not a diet of the expectant mother, but a diet of the expectant mother. It is not a diet of the expectant mother, but a diet of the expectant mother.

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this may well be obtained from eggs, dried fruits, whole grain cereals and green leafy vegetables. It has been found that the thyroid gland is unusually active in the expectant mother. And in these conditions, iodine, potassium, phosphorus and calcium are of some food such as iodized salt.

Adequate B or Calcium

It is most desirable that enough baby foods be included in the diet to help maintain regular health.

This requirement should be taken care of automatically if generous amounts of fruits, vegetables and whole grains are consumed. For in addition to their minerals and vitamins, all these foods likewise supply the milk solids in a pregnant woman.

The wide use of fruits and vegetables in the diet will build up a liberal alkaline reserve, which will be helpful during the period of gestation.

If all these factors are taken into consideration, the expectant mother will not only help to preserve her own health, but will also help to build up a strong and healthy baby.

Questions Answered

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BLACK RIVER

Happy New Year to All

New Year's Day visitors at

the home of Mr. and Mrs. A.

Larson were Mr. and Mrs.

Billy Landman, Roy, Marjorie

and Olive Mae, Elaine and

Robert Aveland, Mr. and Mrs.

Selmer Rosette, Hans Nerlund,

Fred Larson, and Mr. and Mrs.

Ted Jonsson and Miss Helen

Larson of Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustaf Lind-

quist and Vernon, Mr. and

Harry Whittier, John and

Billy, Mr. Roy King, Gladys

and Joyce, Jack Work and Mr.

and Mrs. Edwin Rosette were

dinner guests on Tuesday at

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lars

Rosette.

The following were New Year's

dinner guests at the home of Mr.

and Mrs. A. Larson: Mr. and

Mrs. J. A. Anderson, Edith, Pearl, Agnes,

Harvey and Clarence, Mr. and

Mrs. Glen Lindquist, Joan, and

Janet, Miss Myrtle Person, Ed

Martin and Harry Johnson, Mr.

and Mrs. Walter Larson and

family of Thief River Falls, and

Mr. John Gullander and

family of Thief River Falls.

Miss Myrtle Erickson returned

to St. Paul on Saturday af-

ternoon. The children and

young folk entertained a group

of friends at the home of her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin

Erickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jensen

visited New Year's Eve at the

home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin

Erickson. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin

Anderson and son Leland visited

New Year's Day at the G. Hil-

aire home in St. Hilare.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winder,

John and Billy and Sylvia

Williamson visited New Year's

Eve at the home of the G. Hil-

aire home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sjöberg

entertained dinner on Friday

evening, the following guests:

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Nuplin,

Jane, Alvin and Edgar, Mr. and

Mrs. Alfred Hallstrom, Evan-

geline and Wilbur and John, Ed

Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Person,

Dorothy, Evelyn and Arlen vis-

ited on Sunday at the home of

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson.

Miss Amelia Landman, who

has been seriously ill with

pneumonia is recuperating at

the home of her daughter, Mrs.

Olo Edstrom in Red Lake

Falls.

Frank Sweet and Faye

Emmer and Miss Ruth Brink

returned to Moorhead Monday

after spending the holidays at

the home of their parents, Mr.

and Mrs. V. G. Brink. Ruth

Anna Peterson was studying at

Concordia college on Wednesday.

Friday afternoon, the af-

ternoon was spent socially after

the church on New Year's Day

at 1:30 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Walsh

and daughter Marilyn, Mr. and

Mrs. O. Wedell, Martin

and Vernon Wedell, Mr. and

Mrs. Oscar Wedell of Thief

River Falls were Sunday

visitors at the Arnt Wedell

home.

Reuben Odgaard returned to

go on Monday where he at-

tended business college after

spending his Christmas vaca-

tion with his parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Olo Odgaard.

HAZEL

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sand-

berg and family, Mr. and Mrs.

Carl Peterson, Anton and Hil-

ary Peterson, Mrs. Erick

Knutson, Barbara Krantz

were Sunday supper guests at

the C. A. Ross home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Finstad,

family, Mr. and Mrs. Mar-

tin Peterson, Barbara Krantz,

Edward, Fred and Goldie Fin-

stad at the Carl Abberg home.

Mrs. Erick Krantz and daughter

Barbara of Minneapolis are

visiting at the Anton and Carl

Peterson, Clarence Ross and

Henry Sandberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson

were Thursday evening supper

guests at the Arthur Shal-

lert home.

Supper guests at the Carl Ab-

berg home on Friday evening

were: Mr. and Mrs. O. Thune

and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gus

Quatman and Nella Quat-

man.

Hazel and Paul Borgie, Jr.

returned to their home at

Farago, N. Dak. on Monday

after spending the past month

at the Pete Nelson home.

The Andersons and Odgaard

young folk entertained a group

of friends at the home of her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin

Erickson.

Those present were

Paul Borgie, Jr., Lucille, Phyllis

and Joyce Ross, Donald

Amussen, Julian Siemes, Stan-

ley and Joyce Ross, Donald

Amussen, Dorothy and

Robert Gustaf, Delora and

Robert Nelson, Lawrence

Blaine Borgie, Kathryn Walsh,

Marjorie and Mary.

Mary Jane Johnson returned

to St. Peter on Monday where

she attends the Gustafson Ad-

vanced school after spending her

Christmas vacation with her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted John-

son.

Rev. Dahl of St. Hilare,

Morris Odgaard and son Gor-

don visited Thief River Falls

Friday evening. Hazel and Paul

Borgie, Jr. were Monday visit-

ors at the Olo Odgaard home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Brem-

sett and family spent Sunday

visiting at the home of Mr. and

Mrs. Nels Nelson

and family. Mr. and Mrs. Frank

Weekert and family, Mr. and

Mrs. Clarence Weekert, Miss

Anna Peterson were friends

evening guests at the Richard

Weekert home.

The St. Pauli church Christ-

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BRAY MUTUAL HAS ANNUAL MEETING

Annual meeting and election of officers of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Company, which operates in Farmington and Lee Lake counties, was held here yesterday afternoon. A fair sized crowd of members from the surrounding district, as well as a delegation of visitors from Lee Lake county were present at the meeting. Annual report of the secretary, which will be published soon, shows the company had 21 losses the past year, with only one a major loss. The report shows a net increase in business, and that a good sized reserve is on hand in case of emergency.

Ed Aulb, president; Anton Peterson, vice president; Her Swanson, secretary; John H. Larsen, treasurer, were all re-elected without opposition, nor was there any change in agents.

Operating in this territory for a period of around fifty years, the Bray Mutual Insurance Company has grown from a small beginning to be one of the largest mutual insurance companies operating in the state of the state. The growth and substantial condition of the company is due in no small measure to the painstaking and efficient service of its officers, some of whom have been connected with the company more than a quarter of a century.

ANNIVERSARY SALE

M. H. Jackson is having built made for a 25th anniversary sale which will open January 20 and continue until the end of the month.

It is twenty five years ago this month that Mr. Jackson acquired the stock of the company then operated by M. R. Hage which was located next to his present store. After operating several years at that place, and finding himself handicapped for lack of room, he bought the Lantz building, the former Hoff store, across the street. Here he continued to operate and expand his stock until opportunity came in 1933 to buy the Imperial block and he moved back to within a few feet from where he started business in 1914. Now at the end of a quarter century of business in St. Hilare, Mr. Jackson owns his brick block, and has a well assorted stock of general merchandise, and is looking forward to serving the people of this community in the usual efficient manner for another twenty five years.

Wheat growers in this county are expected to receive their 1938 conservation checks some time this month.

Some folks
have never cooked
electrically . . . but
those who HAVE
say they wouldn't
CHANGE
for anything.

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ALL-AMERICAN SHOW MONDAY AT G. FORKS

Blue-blooded aristocrats of the turkey world will be on exhibit next week when the 16th annual All-American Turkey Show opens Monday at Grand Forks and continues a week.

The show being national in scope, attracts exhibitors from many states in the Union among them being Florida, New Hampshire, Texas, Colorado, California, Washington, Michigan and others. The show will be featured on the regular program of the National Farm and Home show, and the turkey show will be given by a national known bird raiser, an international hook-up to every part of the continent.

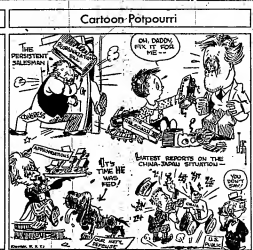
In addition to the huge display of live birds, there will be an exhibit of dressed poultry. An entirely new method of packing will be shown, and there will be a display of home-canned turkey. New and interesting features are added yearly and the show is fast gaining a national reputation for being the finest of its kind in this country.

Mrs. W. J. Janda of this village, who is a pioneer in the business of dressed poultry in this section by the confinement plan, and the several years has been secretary of the All-American Turkey Club which sponsors the All-American Turkey Show.

TROVATTEN APPOINTED

[T. A. Trovatten was appointed state commissioner of agriculture, dairy and food by Governor Hanson this week to succeed Commissioner Chas. Olson. The new commissioner formerly held the same position under the Farmer-Labor administration but was removed about two years ago. Immediately upon taking office, Commissioner Trovatten announced the appointment of Edward Jackson over his brick block, and has a well assorted stock of general merchandise, and is looking forward to serving the people of this community in the usual efficient manner for another twenty five years.

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Talks About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief News Concerning People You Know

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crovorn moved Tuesday to Waterville to visit with friends, and returned that evening.

After spending the holidays at home, Miss Grace Paul left Friday to resume teaching in the high school at Marshall.

A meeting of the Luther League will be held at the Norwegian Lutheran church at the usual hour Sunday, Jan. 22.

Miss Elsie Fredrickson, who is a pioneer in the business of dressed poultry in this section by the confinement plan, and the several years has been secretary of the All-American Turkey Club which sponsors the All-American Turkey Show.

Mrs. John Palmquist left today evening for Los Angeles, Calif., and vicinity where she will visit with her daughter, sister and brothers.

Evangelical meetings being conducted by A. "Candy" Lashson at the local M. E. church will be held two days each week, Wednesday and Sunday, starting next Sunday.

Grindul lengthening of the days is becoming quite noticeable as the middle of January approaches. Three weeks ago it was darker at five o'clock than it is now at 5:30.

The creamery board met yesterday morning to audit the books and accounts in preparation for the annual meeting of the association which will be held Monday, February 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Satterberg of this village, Mr. and Mrs. C. Dahlquist, Dagmar and W. E. Dahlquist were Sunday dinner guests last Sunday at the paternal farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Arne Vik south of the village.

Slimy Roy and David Larson, who are blessed with more pep and ambition than average run of youngsters, have started their own newspaper, the Rumpus, in a mimeographed sheet, issued every two weeks. The boys hope to acquire a "real" press later.

SCHOOL OPENS MONDAY

Following the annual Christmas vacation of two weeks, the local school resumed Monday. All members of the teaching staff that had spent their vacations at their respective homes, returned here Saturday.

Chinese Women Fainted Dead. Chinese women, including a pregnant and pained their faces with white paint, deaths of one Japanese or Chinese, while the bodies of the women were seen by their mothers.

Wiped Out by Hellfire. The first Buddhist-Confucian settlement in Ohio, established at the mouth of Laramie creek on the Great Miami river in what is now Ohio, was wiped out by French and Indian three years ago.

P. T. A. MEETS JAN. 20. Meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association for this month has been postponed from Jan. 12 to Jan. 20. Included on the program are an accordion solo by Evelyn Nelson; a talk on her recent trip to Florida by Miss Bernice Anderson, and Quiz Men vs. Women, to be conducted by Mr. Harrison. Lunch will be served, as usual, after the program.

COUNTY PEOPLE TO ATTEND FARM AND HOME WEEK

Hundreds of Minnesota farm folk will be "in school" at University Farm, St. Paul, January 13 to 19, when the thirty-ninth annual Farm and Home Week is held. Committees in charge expect attendance to be the largest in the history of the short course.

Supplementing a schedule of 200 classes, in which visitors will have latest information on practical methods of farming and home-making, there will be a well-rounded program of speaking and entertainment.

Among those from Farmington county who will attend all or some of the sessions are Hans Solberg of Erik A. W. Guld of Marie J. C. Swanson of Bray, Mrs. V. C. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Hunt, Frank Alvestad and possibly others.

UNDERGOES OPERATION. Lester F. Olson, manager of the creamery, underwent an operation for appendicitis yesterday morning at Mercy hospital at Thief River Falls. He went thru the ordeal in fine shape that has not produced what in 1936, 1937, or 1938. Allotments as complications develop, he will be some time next week.

An early morning fire at Beardsley on Sunday, completely destroyed the Patton's home, which housed the J. C. Penny committee to be considered in setting the allotments for these farms.

January 14, 1939 is the final date on which this information may be given to the county which housed the J. C. Penny committee to be considered in setting the allotments for these farms.

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U. S. L. A. batteries for radios and cars, Eveready Laver Bulb "B" batteries, also flashlight batteries and bulbs. We carry a complete line for all uses.

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The creamery, organized and built by the people of this community because they saw a need for co-operative marketing of their farm products, can grow and prosper only in the same proportion as it is patronized by the people of the community. Work and boost for the creamery. The more you patronize it, the greater your profits will be.

St. Hilare Co-op. Creamery Association

St. Hilare, Minn.

Old Time Gospel Meetings

Friday, Jan. 13 and Sunday, Jan. 15, 7:30 P. M. and 10:00 P. M. singing next week, Wednesday and Sunday. Interesting Messages at Each Meeting. SPECIAL MUSIC. Evangelist, A. "Candy" Lashson. Ministers and Graduate of L.I.F.E. Bible School, American Tract Society, Los Angeles, Calif. OVERSTREET WELCOME. Church well heated.

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Weekly News Analysis
Beck Visit, Czech Border Tiff
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By Joseph W. La Bine

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WHAT TO EAT and WHY

C. Houston Goudiss Reports Some Current Knowledge
of Vitamin G, a Substance Essential to
Growth and Normal Nutrition
By C. HOUSTON GOUDISS

A NUMBER of the vitamins have been discussed in these columns from time to time. The latest findings of nutritional science have been related, together with suggestions made by outstanding authorities concerning the amount of different vitamins required to help maintain top health. So far vitamin G has not been discussed specifically. Yet knowledge of some of the functions and sources of this vitamin should be possessed by every homemaker. For

the average objectives of modern nutritionists are to help people to enjoy health, to build and keep it, and to live longer. If any one of these objectives is to be achieved, the distinction must be made between the vitamins which are essential to life and those which are not. The vitamins which are essential to life are those which are not synthesized by the body and must be obtained from food. The vitamins which are not essential to life are those which are synthesized by the body and do not need to be obtained from food.

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this vitamin are liver and kidney. Muscle out of most contains vitamin G, but in lesser amounts than liver and kidney.

The vitamin is also found in young green plants, and it is interesting to note that the vitamin is formed during the growth of the plant and decreases with maturity. The amount of the vitamin in plants is found to vary with different parts of the same plant. In broccoli, the flower buds have more of the vitamin than the stems contain even less. Among the greens, turnip tops and beet tops have been found to be unusually rich. Investigations indicate that for weight, they are twice as rich as eggs, though eggs are considered a good source.

Homemakers will be glad to learn that heating does not appear to destroy vitamin G. Canned foods are therefore as good a source as though they had not been processed. For all practical purposes, and chiefly because of the amount in which it is contained, it is probably the most important of the vitamins. It is a substance which is essential to life and must be obtained from food.

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Lovely and Simple Designs



HOW TO RELIEVE COLDS

Simply Follow These Easy Directions
to Ease the Cough and Discomfort and
Sore Throat Accompanying Colds

1. To ease the cough, take 2 cups
of water, add 1 cup of
sugar, and 1 cup of
lemon juice. Drink this
three times a day.

2. To ease the sore throat, take 2 cups
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To the Personal Property Tax Payors
of Pennington County, Minnesota:

Pursuant to Chapter 392, Laws of 1917, I
herewith publish the names, tax rates of
school districts, moneys and credits tax, and
the total personal property tax for each per-
son, firm or corporation of Pennington Coun-
ty, Minnesota.

These taxes become due January 1 and can
be paid without penalty any time before
March 1, 1939.

A. R. JOHNSRUD,
Treasurer of Pennington County, Minn.

CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS
Total Tax Rate by School Districts
Including State, County, Town or Village and
School District Levies

School District	No.	C. & S.	Rate in Mills	1916
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(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents
per Hundred Dollars.)

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TOWN OF FARMINGTON					TOWN OF HARTFORD					TOWN OF HARTFORD					TOWN OF HARTFORD				
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AT THE Churches

St. Hilaire N. L. Church

St. Hilaire, Jan. 27, Services.

St. Paul, C. A. Alvheim, home

at 10:30 a. m.

Church at the O. Wilson

home 2 p. m.

St. Hilaire Lutheran League

8 p. m.

Augustana Lutheran Church

11:15 a. m.

Tarna, St. Hilaire: Sat. Jan. 27,

10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Mrs. Martin Moebach

Sunday, Jan. 28, 9 a. m. Service.

Friday, Jan. 27, 8 p. m. Service.

League at the parsonage.

Prayer and Praise meeting

at the parsonage, Jan. 27,

11:30 a. m. Service.

Black River Sunday, Jan. 27,

11 a. m. Service.

Ev. Mission Covenant Church

Services in the local church

next Sunday afternoon at 2:30

M. E. Church

Old Time Gospel meetings

every Sunday and Wednesday

at 7:45 p. m., conducted by

Evangelist, A. C. Ahlstrom. Inter-

esting subjects at each meeting.

Everybody welcome.

F. R. Requests Record

Defense Appropriation

by Congress Last Week

President Roosevelt late last

week asked congress for an im-

mediate appropriation of \$252,

000,000 for the "maintenance of re-

sources" for bawling the nation's

defenses against the "con-

tinualities of present defense ag-

ency."

In a special message the Pres-

ident requested that the \$252,000,

be appropriated at once to be

divided between the army and

navy. The fund would include

\$100,000,000 for a minimum in-

crease of 3,000 in army plane

strength. He also asked for anoth-

er \$27,000,000 to provide an ad-

ditional "peace portion for the Pen-

nington county." He also asked for

\$5,000,000 to be for immediate use to be-

gin necessary housing construc-

tion.

The total request, all of which

would not be spent in one year,

would be the new budget for

defense to \$1,614,580,000, largely

by far of any peace-time outlay.

St. Hilaire

"I have heard great men speak,"

said St. Hilaire, the sign of Chris-

tianity, "I have seen one voice as

loud as a cannon."

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR, ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

BRAY

Edon Erickson motored to Argyle Saturday evening, his brother, life returning home with him after spending the week here.

O. K. Serv, Clarence, Donald, Glen and Grace spent Sunday evening visiting at J. O. Swanson's.

Friday evening visitors at the James Barnett home were Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Olson and family. Mr. Bill Frost and Patricia, Emil Larson and Lillian.

Harold Lindholm spent Sunday visiting the Richard Moebach home.

Annie Lindholm spent Sunday evening and Sunday visiting with Mrs. Eldon Erickson. Mr. and Mrs. George Swanson, Mrs. J. O. Swanson spent Monday afternoon visiting at L. C. Haglund's.

Mans Akerlund who has for some time been visiting with relatives, left Tuesday for Chicago.

O. K. Serv spent Sunday visiting at Halvor Odelsen's.

Mrs. Emma Rose, Elmer and Harry and Gena Larson spent Sunday visiting at Perchon Rux's.

Friends were appointed to hear of the death of Albert Serv who passed away at hospital at Thief River Falls Thursday noon. He is survived by his wife, three daughters, Mrs. Pat Harris of Thief River Falls, Mrs. and Mrs. at home, four sons, Gene of Thief River Falls, George of Idaho, Sam and Harry at home. One brother, O. K. Serv and several nieces and nephews and grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon at the Norwegian Lutheran Church at St. Hilaire. Interment was made at the Lantstad cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Person spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lillian and Sunday afternoon visiting at N. P. Schell's.

Clarence Swanson spent Sunday morning for Lantstad cemetery. J. O. Swanson and August Serv left Sunday morning for the cities where they will attend the Farm and Home week at the University Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. James Barnett and children were Sunday evening visitors at Emil Larsson's.

Solomon Olson and son Clifford, Henry Hanson of Thief River Falls were Thursday evening visitors at Alfred Lindholm's.

Clarence Serv spent Sunday afternoon visiting at N. O. Olson's.

New Relief Director

Appointed in St. Paul

Herman Aufderheide Wednes-

day resigned as state relief ad-

ministrator and the state executive

council named Alfred V. Lant-

stad of Portland to succeed him.

The salary of the new adminis-

trator will be \$4,000 a year, Ac-

cording to the law, was ap-

proved \$2,000 annually.

The council also accepted the

resignation of Julius Morten as

secretary and named William H.

Lantstad to succeed him. Lant-

stad served as secretary until

Morten was elected to the job last

March 15. The board continued the

secretary's salary at \$4,000.

Turn life time into dollars—Ad-

vertis.

BLACK RIVER

Mrs. Effie Fredrickson re-

turned to Okech on Sunday to

resume her teaching duties at

Monday morning after spend-

ing a three weeks' vacation

at home. Mrs. Alfred Hallstrom

and Mrs. Henry Rux, who

visited Saturday afternoon at the

home of Mrs. S. N. Olson and

family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rux

and Mrs. K. C. Lindquist were

Wednesday visitors at the E. L.

Larson home.

Art Haglund and V. G. Brink

were callers at Thief River

Falls on Saturday.

A joint birthday party was

held at the Mrs. Felix Ander-

son home on Saturday evening

the occasion being Felix Ander-

son's and Miss Hazel Adolph-

son's birthdays. Those present

were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Loren-

son and family, Mr. and Mrs. C.

T. Hallstrom and daughter, Janice, all of Thief River Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson, Meridian and Maynard, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Kruse, Shirley and

Delia, Hilmar, Bill and Hazel Adolphson, Gloria Hansen, and Mrs. Morris Odegard and daughter, Marys and Gladys Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson, Blaine and Jeanette and Miss Edna, Mrs. M. M. Madock, N. D. visited on Sunday at the home of Mrs. S. N. Olson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Avelo Hansen and daughter visited Thursday at the home of Mrs. H. Hansen's father, Class Adolphson.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Haglund visited Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Odegard and family.

Mrs. Elmer Erickson visited with Mrs. Alvin Peterson one afternoon last week.

Miss Lillian Allberg who is employed at the Golden Glo Cafe at Thief River Falls is spending a week visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Allberg.

HAZEL

Mrs. Clarence Woodworth

was honored Sunday afternoon

at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson, when a

group of friends and neighbors

gathered for a birthday celebra-

tion. She was the recipient of a

number of small gifts for the new

year. The guests brought

hunch which was enjoyed by all

after an afternoon spent social-

ly.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Johnson,

Naomi and Frederick Johnson,

were Sunday dinner guests at

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Har-

old Holmes in St. Hilaire.

Lucille Frustry spent the

week-end with Hazel Haglund

at the latter's home in St. Hil-

laire.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Frohman

and daughter Carol and Harry

L. Peterson, all of Thief River

Falls were Sunday guests at

John E. Peterson's.

Lillian Allberg entertained a

group of girls at luncheon on

Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ole Odegard went

Tuesday to Thief River Falls to spend some time at the home of her son, Morris Odegard and family.

Mrs. Hans Nyland of Thief

River Falls spent Saturday vis-

ited at the Charles E. Walls

home.

Oscar Odegard returned from

Minnesota after a

spending a few days there and

Blaine Borgie spent Saturday

visiting with Lillian Allberg

at the latter's home in St. Hil-

laire.

Mrs. Harman Sandberg visit-

ed with Mrs. Henry Sjolund

on Wednesday.

To see what we're missing just

return to read this paper for a

few weeks.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Company

of Red Lake and Pennington Counties
for the year ending December 31, 1938

Organized the 5th day of March, 1893.
Commenced business the 10th day of June, 1893.
President, Ed. A. Aubol, P. O. Address, Thief River Falls, Minn.
Vice President, Arno Peterson, Harts, Minn.
Secretary, John O. Swanson, P. O. Address, Thief River Falls, Minn.
Director, Herman Orloff, St. Hilaire, Minn.

Actual cash balance on hand and in the bank as shown by statement December 31 of previous year \$ 5,226.87

Income During Year 1938

Cash received as full payment of Policies 2,978.82

Cash received as Social Security Tax 10.00

Only received from the certificate 3.00

Total amount of cash received during year \$ 2,991.84

Total cash including balance on hand from previous year \$ 8,218.71

Paid Losses Incurred during the year \$ 5,216.47

Paid Premiums paid to Policy Agents 42.00

Paid Commission to Agents 88.00

Paid Agents for Advertising 45.00

Paid Directors 9.00

Paid Treasurer 60.00

Paid for telephone calls 12.00

Paid for rent of office 3.00

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MARCH OF DIMES CAMPAIGN OPENS

In response to appeal of President Roosevelt for assistance to the National Foundation of Infantile Paralysis in its effort to aid victims of infantile paralysis, and to help in the battle to eradicate the disease in this country, President's Birthday balls will be held in thousands of towns through this country next Monday, the president's birthday anniversary. To help swell receipts, a "March of Dimes" has been inaugurated to permit all people to help. Thousands of dimes have already been received at the White House to help the fund. Those who wish to assist in this most worthy cause, may turn their dimes at the local postoffice. After the campaign is over the amount collected locally will be sent in a lump sum, to Washington. Half of the amounts collected in local campaigns remain in the communities of origin for use in helping paralytic victims, or to assist in local campaigns for eradication of the disease. A dime is only a small sum from each person in the United States, but the aggregate amounts to a big sum. All who wish to contribute may deposit their dimes at the postoffice.

COMMITTEETO MEET WEDNESDAY ON FARM PROGRAM

A county meeting for all community agency organizations of the agricultural conservation program will be held on Wednesday, January 24, County Agent Henry J. Gault stated before the meeting. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the 1930 program with the various agencies. A series of educational and information sessions will be held on Wednesday. Every farmer will be asked to bring a copy of the requirements and regulations which will be in effect for the coming year. It is the purpose of the meeting to determine this spring whether or not he will cooperate with the program.

Wardens Crack Down on Game Fish Offenders

Eight arrests for illegal sale of game fish in Alexandria and Oakdale, by state game wardens under the direction of District Warden Supervisor Roy Sorenson, of Glenwood have put a definite crimp into the illegal fish sale ring operating in the district, according to Ed McKeevers, deputy director of game and fish in charge of law enforcement. A total of \$200 in fines was assessed in Oakdale and Alexandria courts, or offenders have their choice of a total of 400 days in jail. In amounts received from \$14.00 to \$250.00, or just sentences from 30 to 90 days. Charges range from illegal possession of game fish in live cases to selling game fish in six cases.

The men who used to have money to burn is now busy sitting the shams.

In Appreciation
We wish to express our most sincere thanks for the beautiful gifts given us by our St. Hilaire friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph King

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U. S. L. A. batteries for radios and cars. Eveready Layer Built "B" batteries, also flashlight batteries and bulbs. We carry a complete line for all uses.

See us for Zenith radios--the radio that can be used for battery or high line service by simply using a switch. We have a number of used radio sets at very low price. See us before buying a radio or supplies.

Texaco Service Station

Belden & Olson, Props.
St. Hilaire, Minn.

SEED MEETING TODAY
A meeting of farmers in this locality was held this afternoon at the local hall to discuss possibilities of organizing a legume improvement and marketing association. Similar meetings have been or will be held in nine counties in Northwestern Minnesota where is grown the main part of all seed marketed in this state.

SCHOOL NOTES

Visual Education
Superintendent Graham has provided for the use of a motion picture machine and film to be used in classes in school. By a number of schools along the Warroad-Fargo branch of the C. N. taking the contract for 120 reels of film to be furnished over a period of a year, the machine is furnished and the rental is about fifty cents a reel. This low rental charge is possible because of the routing of the films so a large number of schools have opportunity to rent them.

The films will be shown as a regular part of classwork. First unit of eight reels will be available Tuesday, February 21. The machine and films will arrive the evening before on the train from Hildesheim. This would make possible a showing of the films to the public free of charge Monday evening, February 20th, if arrangements can be made at the school.

This additional material available in school will be welcomed by teachers and pupils alike. Investing film on various subjects have been collected. These units of films will be shown every other Tuesday. If sufficient express their desire to see films, arrangements will be made for a showing on Monday evening before the school session at 8:00 P. M.

Declaration
The local declaration contest, to determine who will represent St. Hilaire High School in the Sub-State contest, will be held February 15th at the high school. Contestants are boys with their selections. Miss Engstrom coaches the Dramatic group, Miss Anderson and Miss Hansen the Humorous and Oratorical.

The Sub-State contest will be held at Plummer, Feb. 22. St. Hilaire having entertained the schools last year.

MRS. C. E. WHALEY IS DEAD

Funeral services were held Sunday at Benjidi for Mrs. C. E. Whaley, age 83, who died Thursday at the Lutheran hospital in this city. For the last 14 years she had made her home with her daughter, Mrs. R. D. Ruchny. Besides her daughter at Benjidi, she is survived by two sons, Ed Whaley at Saginaw, Mich., and Archie Whaley at Glenview, Minn.

The Whaley family will be recalled by all older residents in this village as they resided here for many years before going to Benjidi. Mr. Whaley died in Benjidi some years ago. At the time of their residence in St. Hilaire, the Whaley home was located just across the street from the old creamery building.

The Folks Who Ought to Be in History



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Only a week remains before Grounding Day. Do your shopping early.

Cutting of ice is now under way, the river below the old railway. Quite a lot of ice will be taken from here for packing on nearby farms.

The Brink & Berglund shoe factory is operating every day with a full crew, turning out supplies to be used by local apirats next spring.

The condition of Mrs. Lena Halkstrom, who suffered a slight stroke last week, is showing a little improvement. Friends hope for her recovery.

The old reliable thermometer took a nose dive to 28 below here last Sunday morning. With a bit chilly, the weather did not interfere with skating at the rink.

Manford Dahlstrom returned Friday to resume his work as intern at the Asbury hospital at Minneapolis after having spent a couple days here with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahl.

Arvid Dahlstrom and Aug. Berglund were at Benjidi last Saturday to attend the Paul Bunyan carnival. They expected a little difficulty while coming home because of the storm.

Prices on eggs have dropped sharply lately. The best grade is now 14 cents a dozen at the egg station. Continued mild weather has brought about a big increase in production in all parts of the country.

Rodger, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roy, underwent an operation Monday at a Third River Falls hospital. He is rapidly regaining strength, and hopes to be home soon.

Miss Lily M. Johnson, supervisor of grades in the schools at Austin, is under a major operation last week at St. Mary's hospital. Her condition is reported to be good. Friends here hope for her speedy recovery.

Saturday, Jan. 26 is the first day this month on which light and power bills may be paid with discount or without penalty. All should be in before 5:00 P. M. so as not to renege ground floor for the month must go out in the mail that day.

A fair sized crowd attended the Parent-Teachers Association meeting Friday evening at the school. An interesting program consisting of a "quiz" conducted by Mr. Harkness of the Third River Falls schools; two vocal solos by Hilda and Ed Third River Falls; a talk by Miss Bernice Anderson describing her recent trip to Florida, and an accordion solo, was given.

There was no dance here last Saturday night because of the blizzard prevailing at that time.

The local crowd snow plow crew had a chance to exhibit their outfit this week following the high wind which drifted snow in places.

The school basketball team took a hefty consolation loss to the county champion at last Friday evening by the close score of 12 to 14.

Mrs. W. J. Janda returned Saturday after attending the Grand Forks which was in session all last week, and closed Saturday.

A chimney fire at the Redwood Inn during the heavy wind Saturday morning, caused a little excitement while it had been extinguished. A fire alarm was turned in when it looked like the roof of adjoining buildings might ignite.

The fire-damaged pulp warehouse of the American Crystal Sugar Company at East Grand Forks will be completely rebuilt the coming spring, officials of the company announced this week. Fire burned in the warehouse nearly all of December before it was finally extinguished.

Funeral services were conducted this afternoon at Oakdale for J. T. Waele, age 87, pioneer resident of Benjidi township who died at his home Saturday. Rev. M. L. Dahl, pastor of the church, conducted the service. Interment took place in the cemetery adjoining the church.

25 Years Ago

On January 27th occurred the marriage of Miss Eva McDermott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike McDermott, to Mr. George Whalen of Red Lake Falls. They came to reside on a farm south of here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Fellman entertained in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Krieger of Red Lake Falls who were visiting here. Thirty guests were present at the party.

The Evenson block at Third River Falls, occupied on the ground floor by the Glensboro State Bank and Lohm's Department store, was entirely destroyed by fire Jan. 25.

The three lower grade rooms at school were closed because of an epidemic of measles had cut attendance to where only a few pupils were present in each room.

A young son of Leo Knott lost part of a thumb as a result of experimenting with the gears on a gas engine.

G. N. CHIEF IS DEAD

William P. Kenney, 67, president of the Great Northern Railway company since 1902, died Tuesday at St. Paul. Widely known in railroad circles, Mr. Kenney had spent over half a century in railway work, 37 of them with the Great Northern. Starting as a messenger boy for the Milwaukee road, he worked up thru various railroad departments to become chief executive of one of the largest railway systems in the country.

ENDS LIFE WITH BULLET

Albert O. Johnson, engineer at the Interstate Power company plant at Benjidi ended his own life with a rifle bullet last Thursday morning. Coming from his work at midnight, Mr. Johnson remained in the house a few minutes before going to his garage. After about 45 minutes his wife became alarmed by his unexplained absence and found him lying on the garage floor with the rifle under him. He is survived by his wife and ten children.

Mr. Johnson was born May 16, 1860 in St. Hilaire, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Justus Johnson, pioneer residents of the village. Since starting work for the power company 21 years ago, Mr. Johnson visited here occasionally, and is well known to a number of residents in this community.

Manager of the Beltrami Island Project Shifted

A. Wines of Beltrami Island project the state staff of the Minnesota department of conservation, manager of the Beltrami Island project since 1924, has been transferred to the state staff in Beltrami Island project, a head-quarters in the Beltrami Island project.

No New Highway Jobs

Until Work Justifies

John O. Shaw, state representative in charge of state highway department, has emerged from the availability of highway work. He has issued a general warning that the department is not in a position to take on new work until seasonal construction and maintenance work opens up.

Everybody's doing his best. Advertising is the salt of the earth in business.

Annual meeting of stockholders and patrons of the local creamery will be held here Monday, Feb. 4. Lunch will be served following the meeting.

Local light fans had their radio all tuned in last evening for the Louis-Lewis fight in New York. Widely heralded by sports writers as the "battles of the century" and sure to go the limit of 15 rounds, the fight lasted just two minutes and 27 seconds when the challenger was knocked out.

AUTO TAX DEADLINE

IS FEBRUARY 15TH

Owners of auto vehicles in Minnesota are warned by Secretary of State Mike Hahn that February 15 is the final date on which applications for auto licenses may be made without penalty. In some former years the final date was extended a month and sometimes more by action of the legislature. A shortage of funds in the highway department at present, makes it necessary to have license funds in to meet current expenses, so there is no possibility of any extension this year. The plates for 1930 are dark numerals on a yellow background.

W. H. HOLMSTROM IS DEAD

William H. Holmstrom, died Sunday at Cambridge, Minn. County Treasurer Walter A. Holmstrom, who died several weeks Wednesday, the victim of a sudden heart attack while attending the annual convention of the Minnesota Association of County Treasurers at St. Paul. He had served as county treasurer of Isanti County for fourteen years, and was elected without opposition. Born at Oshkosh on October 7, 1887, Mr. Holmstrom engaged in the hardware, furniture and undertaking business at various points in the state. On January 30, 1919 he was united in marriage to Miss Bessie Nelson, daughter of the late Rev. A. F. Nelson of St. Hilaire. He was in the hardware and furniture business at Cambridge for three years before receiving this position as county treasurer.

Besides his wife, he is survived by one son, Walter Jr., a student at the University of Minnesota, four sisters, Mrs. Fred Swanberg, Mrs. Ed. Carlen and Mrs. Carl Sturd of Oshkosh, and Mrs. Ole Hedman of St. Paul.

Some years ago when Rev. Nelson and family resided here, Mr. and Mrs. Holmstrom visited with them frequently, and were well known to many people in this community who will be deeply grieved to learn of the totally unexpected death of Mr. Holmstrom.

ANNUAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Association will be held at St. Hilaire, Minn., on Monday, February 6, 1930 at one o'clock P. M.

This meeting is called for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, and to transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting. Lunch will be served following the meeting. F. S. Evenson, Secy. 325-72c

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Your Creamery

The creamery, organized and built by the people of this community because they saw a need for co-operative marketing of their products, can grow and prosper only in the same proportion as it is patronized by the people of the community. Work and boost for the creamery. The more you patronize it, the greater your profits will be.

St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery Association

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Flavoring Mashed Potatoes.—A teaspoon of onion juice or half a sliced raw onion added to mashed potatoes gives them a different flavor.

Save Your Back.—Whether to stir a stove with a working arm over a low fire or high fire, it may pay to remember that bending requires four times as much energy as standing.

For Gravy or Soup.—When you wish to make gravy or soup with the water in which meat has been cooked, wring a cloth out in cold water and strain the liquid through it. No grease will go through.

Safety Measure.—Chemical fire extinguishers have saved many homes from being reduced to ashes. Even a bucket of sand or a pump sawdust is effective if used before a fire gets too much started.

**Wait, Mother—
Ask Your
Doctor First**



Never give your children unknown "Bargain" remedies to take unless you ask your doctor.

A mother may save a few pennies giving her children unknown preparations. But a child's life is precious beyond pennies. So—Ask your doctor before you give any remedy you don't know all about.

Because for three generations Phillips' has been favored by many physicians as a standard, reliable and proved preparation — marvelous, versatile, free from —

Many children like Phillips' in the newer form - tiny peppermint-flavored tablets that chew like candy. Each tablet contains the equivalent of one teaspoonful of the liquid Phillips' 25¢ for a big box.

A bottle of Phillips' liquid Milk of Magnesia costs but 25¢. So - anyone can afford the gentle. So - any mother can ask for it by its full name - Phillips' Milk of Magnesia.



PHILLIPS' MILK OF MAGNESIA
IN LIQUID OR TABLET FORM

Pleasure of Amusement
Let amusement fill up the chinks of your existence; but not the cracks.

How Women in Their 40's Can Attract Men

Here's good advice for a woman suffering her, charge (usually from 33 to 62), who fears it's too late to appeal to men, who worries about hot flashes, loss of pep, dizzy spells, upset nerves and moody spells.

Get more fresh air, 8 hrs. sleep and if you need a good general system tonic take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made of pure herbs and vegetable matter.

First to Act
Among the wise, the brain acts

POSITIVELY!

"Liden's are 'donnie-barrelled'...you get soothing relief, plus an alkaline factor."

CHARLES LEWIS,
Chemist, New York

LUDEN'S
MENTHOL COUGH DROPS **5¢**

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the most certain method, except that of actual use, for judging the value of any manufactured goods. Here is the only guarantee against

Buy careless workmanship or use of shoddy materials.

ADVERTISED GOODS

This micrograph shows a cross-section of a plant stem. A central vascular cylinder is visible, surrounded by cortical cells. The structure is labeled with a circled '1'.

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Pattern No. 1672

Use this cross stitch and crochet on scarfs, towels and pillow cases and have license you'll be proud of. Pattern 1972 contains a transfer pattern of eight motifs ranging from 5 by 12½ to 3½ by 7½ inches in directions and chart for the file; crochet; materials required; illustrations of stitches.

Send \$1.00 coins for this pattern to The Sewing Circle Needlecraft Dept., 82 Eighth Avenue, New York, N. Y.

Please write your name, address and pattern number plainly

Uncle Phil Says:



How Patient We Are.
A public problem is rarely solved until it becomes unbearable.

"Don'ts" that one gets at home are nothing like the "take thas" one gets from the world.

All these poison gases ought to be emptied to annihilate insect plagues instead of men.

Left and Right Needed
When a married couple or a pair of shoes are exactly alike, they fail to make a fitting pair.

The widow's mite was not her spare cash, hence the value.

Any work is beneficial," says a prominent physician. Of course it is—providing the other fellow doesn't charge too much for doing

BILL LOUIS?

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NERVOUS?

Do you feel so nervous you want to scream?
Are you cross and irritable? Do you need
those glasses to read?
If your nerves are on edge and you are
in need of a good general purpose tonic, try
Pinkham's Compound Vegetable Compound,
made especially for women.
For over 60 years our women have relied
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Pinkham's Compound. It helps women look
up more physical reactions and thus helps
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Why not give it a chance to help YOU?
Write for a little more information and
reporting wonderful benefits from Pinkham's
Compound.

Personal Mastery
He that would govern others
first should be master of himself
Massinger.

666 COLD
First Day,
Headache and Fever
Go to Collis
in 30 minutes
Try "Kob-My-Time"—a Wonderful Liniment

Give a Thought
MAIN STREET

- For, in our towns... and towns like ours clear across the country... there's a steady revolution going on. Changes in dress styles and food prices... the rise of a new crown... the fall of farming prices—these things visibly affect our living... And the revolution is covered in advertisements.
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- They know what's doing in America... and they also know where money buys most!

Weekly News Analysis
U. S. May Force Orient Peace
Through Guam Defense Gossip
By Joseph W. La Bine

EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst, and not necessarily of the newspaper.

Asia

On December 31, January 1 and 2, and 4, respectively, the U.S., Britain and France warned Japan that they disliked her violation of the 1911 Anglo-Japanese understanding. The Japanese government responded. So painful was the silence that China's Foreign Minister Wang Chen-chang said that the Japanese moralists might be using the wrong tactics. His proposal to follow the Japanese lead in the use of formal proposals of settlement, even until actual terms.

On January 5, Minister Wang noted it is unfair: either the U.S. or France or Britain yet feels obligated to Japan. He said that the U.S. and Japan would make the overture. And that is precisely what the U.S. did on making Japan.

As the crew flew, Gann lost 1,500 pounds and 100 percent of his hair.

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Trend

TELEVISION—British Broadcasting corporation, celebrating its second anniversary of television, announces 10,000 picture receivers are now being used in England.

MONEY—Idle credit resources of federal reserve bank members have reached an all-time record high of \$3,560,000,000.

DEATH—The Southwest's "most beautiful" town is the nation's most beautiful, according to a list since 1932 with 13,752,118 acres planted to cover crops and only 2,664,000 acres expected to be subject to wind erosion this year.

CONVENT—Hundred government troops may be billeted in the premises of Austrian convents.

ARMY—Current increases in the U.S. army will boost the nation from tenth to eighth ranking in world military forces.

Bruckart's Washington Digest

Theory of Spending Ourselves Out Of Depression Seen Unwise Course

Evidence in Congress of Definite Determination to Cut
Down on Appropriations; Sound Sense of American
People Always Finds Answer to National Problems.

By WILLIAM BRUCKART
WNU Service, National Press Bldg., Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON — An always has been a source of confusion and controversy. It can be defined from a narrow answer to every national period. They are the people who are the figures out what those facts mean; they may be led or lured or threatened. They are the people who are the figures out what those facts mean; they may be led or lured or threatened. They are the people who are the figures out what those facts mean; they may be led or lured or threatened.

Notwithstanding the statements frequently heard from Republican spokesmen that the "Social Security Class," or the variation that "you can't get \$200,000,000," there is no doubt that the Social Security bill is quite a definite determination to quit that sort of thing. That is, the Social Security bill will place out of the so-called inner circle of the Government the things that are true in the halls of congress where, unless there is an earthquake, the Central Committee will be taken by congress and representatives of the people, and not by the government. The old and familiar American traits of initiative and enterprise, and the income, are coming to the surface very rapidly and the restoration of the American people's responsibility in American life is being re-established.

Oration to Tip-Phonix

It will be recalled how the opponents of President Roosevelt's philosophy of spending showed their priorities in the house of representatives when they voted to cut \$100,000,000 off the deficiency relief appropriation. Mr. Russell accomplished despite "senior" hair-raising stories from official sources in the administration that eliminating the \$100,000,000 from the funds would mean suffering, maybe starvation, maybe quick death, for many thousands of people.

Well, the house members (or a majority of them) did not believe

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Immediately after the house was through with the relief bill, the sponsors of special aid to the pennies started after the appropriation. There were many in that body who were in favor of the bill, and, meanwhile, proposing that in the meantime there should be a brand new relief bill. The device by which the majority was swayed by the general argument that, whatever the shortcomings of the Harry Hopkins bill, it was better than no bill at all, was not to be made the goats; it was an snarl at the unperplexed who would not be misled by the wiles of the secretary of commerce, had made a mess of the relief program.

Beginning Only Forecasts
Of What Is Coming

While it seems that a cut of \$180,000,000 from the 1965-66 budget amount added—represents some thing substantial, this beginning is only a first step. The spending has had their effect. The budget has been cut since Mr. Roosevelt's "economy act" of 1963 was abandoned as a result of the fact that the President used various names and descriptions, such as "pump priming" and "baby steps," to describe the cuts.

It appears now, however, that their days are numbered. I do not mean that the President will not cut the government cash stop is going to be thrown out of the window at once.

reduced expenditures, they are likely to cause these federal agencies of the probable added burden.

Another thing likely to happen is that the federal government will be asked to do more. The state legislatures are to the awakening as to the actual situation. They are likely to do many things it this year, but will have to be faced. When the federal government is asked to do more, that how will be heard in Congress, too, but concerning the federal government, the hand and national taxes on the state and federal government will prove to be the best, for the people of borrowing to that.

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SAFETY TALKS

DATE & TIME

Crossing the Road

HERE'S the modern counterpart of the ancient chicken pooper:

Why does a pedestrian cross the road at the wrong places and without looking?

That's what the National Safety Council is trying to find out after an examination of its records which proved that at least a third of the pedestrians killed in rural areas and over half in city areas crossed cities were crossing places other than intersections.

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Our Relationship

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Innocent scribbling is death

thought.—Carlyle.

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CREAMERY HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

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affairs.

The annual meeting of the dairy farmers of the county was held at the Thier River Falls, on Monday, Feb. 6, at the office of Dr. O. F. Melly. Trustees elected were C. W. Vorschke, D. G. Dusenbury, Dr. O. F. Melly, M. Erickson and Alfred M. Braden. During the calendar

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AT THE

Churches

St. Hilaire N. L. Churches

M. D. Doble, Pastor

Sunday, Feb. 12th. No ser-

vice as the roads are blocked

Anglican Lutheran Church

A. Larson, Pastor

"Black River" Sunday, Feb. 12,

11:15 A. M. Service.

Town, St. Hilaire: Sunday,

Feb. 12, 10 A. M. Service.

M. Sunday School

Wednesday, 8 P. M. Bible Study

and Prayer meeting.

Sunday, Feb. 12, 8 P. M. Junior

High School at the parson-

age.

Clara, Hest: Sunday, Feb. 12,

11:15 A. M. Service.

Methodist Church

Reverend meeting conducted

by Rev. Casper Anderson each

Sunday and Wednesday night

at 7:45.

By Mission Covenant Church

Services at 2:30, Feb. 12.

You are welcome.

BRAY

Sunday afternoon visitors at

S. N. Olson's were Emil Rus-

sell and Albert Serv.

Gunda Simonson is visiting

at the Halvor Odden home.

Albert Serv. was a Sunday

and Monday visitor at O. R.

Serv's.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Swanson

Lorraine, Kenneth and Doris

spent Sunday visiting at Chris-

Kruva's.

Halvor Hanson and Henry

of Thief River Falls spent Sat-

urday afternoon visiting at G. N.

Serv's.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hanson

and son, Roger and Halvor

Hanson of Thief River Falls

spent Monday visiting at S. N.

Olson's.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Swanson

and family were brief

visitors with Mrs. Lena Hal-

strom at St. Hilaire Tuesday.

The Farm Bureau unit met

in school last 120 Friday eve-

ning. A large crowd attended.

The following program was

given: Musical number by Lor-

raine and Kenneth Swanson.

Business meeting was held, talk

by Mr. G. W. Grov, solo by Vernon

Neuback, one act play, "Farm

Bureau Tools"; Duet by Mrs.

Eldon Erickson and Grace

Serv; one act play, "Marriage

Shop"; Solo by Mrs. George

Swanson, two act play, "Coop-

eration"; Solo by Vernon Mos-

beck, musical number by Lis-

ta Larson and Melvin Hanson.

Lunch was served at the close

of the meeting and the next

meeting will be held Friday

evening, March 2nd, at school

last 120.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Larson and

family, Mr. and Mrs. James

Barnett, Bonny, Jimmy and

Richard were Sunday visitors at

Earl Larson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Swanson

Lorraine, Kenneth and Doris

spent Wednesday evening visit-

ing at N. P. Schlar's.

Carl Lindholm and Henry

Lettner were Sunday after-

noon visitors at O. J. Serv's.

A group of friends and neighbors

gathered at the Moh-

lan Hanson home on Wed-

nesday evening. A good

time was enjoyed by everyone

and at midnight a delicious

lunch was served.

Alfred Lindquist who is em-

ployed in Thief River Falls,

spent the weekend at his par-

ental home.

"Tuesday visitors at Emil

Larson's were Mrs. and Mrs.

George Swanson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Erickson of

Thief River Falls.

HAZEL

Mrs. Ole Wedel of Thief

River Falls spent a few days visit-

ing with her son and daughter-

in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arnt Wed-

el and family.

Mrs. Oscar Borgie and Mrs.

Ed Peterson visited at the Ad-

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day afternoon.

Melvin Sherman of Fortine vis-

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Sherva on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Olegard

visited with friends in St. Hila-

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Mr. and Mrs. Martin K. Bil-

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berg, children Betty Lou, Jean

Knut and Erling Anderson

visited at the Herman Sand-

berg home on Sunday evening.

Glady Alberg is spending a

few days visiting at the Martin

Planted home.

Omar Sealand returned home

on Thursday from Oak Lake

after being employed there.

Phoebe and Myrna Anderson

visited at the Herman Sand-

berg home on Sunday.

Mrs. Clarence Borge and Mrs.

Henry Sandberg spent Friday

evening visiting with Mrs.

Martin Ellingson.

William McDonald visited at

the Nell Nelson home on Sat-

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Mrs. Adrian Anderson and

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Arnd Wedel home.

Mrs. and Mrs. Clarence Wed-

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with the latter's parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Neil Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Prestby

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spent Sunday visiting with Mr.

and Mrs. Martin Ellingson.

Mrs. Frank Peterson and

Mrs. Edwin Anderson visited

with Mrs. Adrian Anderson on

Friday.

Mrs. Nell Nelson returned

from Thief River Falls after

spending a rather long time

with her brother-in-law and

sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence

Olsen.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Highland

and Mrs. Amalia Dahl visited

at Hilaire and Mr. and Mrs. Ri-

chard Anderson spent Sunday

afternoon visiting at the Oscar

Sealand home.

Mrs. Ed Peterson of Thief

River Falls visited with the

former's parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Ole Olegard on Friday evening.

Mrs. Ed Peterson of Thief

River Falls, formerly of Hazel,

is spending some time at the

home of her son-in-law and

daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley

McCrum and family.

Wintering in California

In letters received by various

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Bruckner's Washington Digest

Feeling of Unrest in Europe
Reaches Our Side of Atlantic

Permeates Administration and, to Some Extent, Congress:
Result Is Great and Increasing Mystery; President's
Secrecy Amplified; Facts About Plane Sales.

By WILLIAM BRUCKNER
WNU Service, National Press Bldg., Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON—The feeling that has obsessed Europeans for weeks—that they are approaching toward some international crisis—seems to have spread to our side of the Atlantic. Right out of the air, so to speak, we are made to feel that great questions are about to be decided and that we, in this country, must be ready to decide them. The germ, or whatever it is, has taken up its domicile within our administration, and to some extent, in Congress, and the result is great and increasing mystery.

Most sources in Washington do not believe that the so-called settlement of the European crisis at Munich last September was, in fact, more than a stopgap as I reported to you at that time. The Munich failure has become more and more evident and the very atmosphere is charged again with exactly the same type of latent expectancy.

In a general way, of course, we all know that the worldwide disturbance between the democratic forms of government and the dictatorial forms of government is the thing that we know, as well as that Hitler and Mussolini have challenged the freedom democracies by the holders of their dictatorial positions in taking practically what they want in the way of additions to their empires. We know, further, that the east steadily is not yet leader as the ruler and Mussolini's ambitions are to be considered. And wrapped in this is the feeling that the genuine friendship that the United States has for France and England.

Beneath the surface, things have been going on in our own government. The President, through his staff of state and the military and naval services know what is taking place in Europe and they are advised to what may be expected. They have been formed and developed so that they could be taken upon the spot when the need arises. It is the proper line. All of this was done in secret and in secrecy, public discussion of such details is to be avoided. And wrapped in this is the feeling that the genuine friendship that the United States has for France and England.

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HOW TO SEW
by Ruth Wyeth Spears

Two other day a letter came with an unusual request. "I wonder if you could tell me some way to use empty cans?"

Fortunately we have a very long memory. There came to life the picture of a fat little girl sitting in a small footstool in a very old room, and she was very old. And then there was something about that footstool that had been used to make the footstool. The cover was

Little Man Found More
Trials Were to Come

A big man and a little man were having an argument on the bank of a canal. "They get very hot about it," he said. The big man said, "I can pick you up and throw you across the river."

The little man replied: "You couldn't. I bet you a dollar you couldn't."

The big man said: "I bet you a dollar you couldn't."

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Uncle Phil Says:

When Bad Luck Rules
One whose life is hurried on one side into it fall on the bottom side which it drops in.

Some blessings in disguise cover a tale of woe.

A man who cares about what he does with his hands should do something to prevent his wife from looking bent and wrinkled and lashed.

We'd Like to See One
Could a novel be composed wholly of pictures in these days of innumerable illustrations?

Clothes do not make the man, but a patch does it in his way.

First time a young man puts on evening clothes, "with tails," he feels he must be a success.

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MRS. C.O. HALLSTROM CALLED BY DEATH

Mrs. Carolina Hallstrom, resident of this community for 44 years, died Sunday afternoon at a Thier River hospital from the effects of a stroke suffered over a month ago. Apparently improving last week the news of her death came as a shock to her many friends.

Mrs. Hallstrom was born in Sweden on June 4th, 1869 and was 71 years, 6 months and 15 days of age at the time of her death. Her early years were spent in Sweden, and she came to this country in 1890 to reside a year in Chicago before coming to Black River community in 1891. She was united in marriage to Claus Otto Hallstrom that year and made their home in Folk Center township where Mr. Hallstrom died in 1916. During the years 1909-1926 Mrs. Hallstrom resided at Winger, but returned in 1929 and has since made her home in St. Hilaire.

Deceased is survived by her daughter and son, Mrs. A. M. Soric (Libby) who lives in the home farm, and, Clarence Hallstrom of Thier River Falls. She also is survived by four grandchildren, and by three sisters who reside in Sweden. Three brothers and one sister have preceded her in death.

A long-time member of the Black River Swedish Lutheran church, she took active part in its various activities. A good Christian woman, a kind and loving mother, Mrs. Hallstrom was held in high esteem in this community, and she will be sadly missed by all her relatives and friends.

Brief funeral services will be held at the Hallstrom home here Friday, Feb. 24, at 1:00 P. M. and from the Black River church at 2:30, the services being in charge of Rev. Larson and Rev. M. L. Dahle. Interment will be in the cemetery adjoining Black River church where the husband and father is at rest.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING
Annual meeting of the St. Hilaire Co-op. Livestock Shipping Association will be held Monday, February 27th, at Jackson's hall. Meeting called at one o'clock P. M., for the electing of two directors and any other business that may properly come before this meeting.

Lunch will be served at the close of the meeting.

St. Hilaire Co-op. Livestock Shipping Ass'n.
Victor G. Brink, Secretary, A. Satterberg, Pres.

ATTEND DECLAMATION CONTEST
A box load of school pupils from here accompanied local contestants to the sub-district declamation contest last evening at Plummer. Hazel Haglund was first place in declamation; Robert Palmann of Red Lake Falls took top place in oratory; and Clarence Hall of Plummer was first in the humorous division. Lucille Poulsen of the local school, won second place with her humorous selection. All those enumerated above will compete in the district contest to be held Thursday, March 2nd, at Red Lake Falls.

CONFEDERATE BAND AT FOSTON
The Concordia College band will appear in concert at Foston on Monday, February 27 at 8:00 P. M. The appearance at Foston of this organization—one of the finest concert bands in the Valley—will be of local interest to St. Hilaire people because Dennis Haglund, LeVaughn Skarud and Roth Erik, who are all students at Concordia, will play with the band. All are all students at Concordia, will play with the band. All are all students at Concordia, will play with the band.

Harder-Norden
Miss Eva Harder, who returned about a month ago to Alaska after spending a few months here with her mother, Mrs. Mark Harder, was united in marriage to Mr. Elmer Norden at Juneau, Alaska on February 18th. They will make their home at Juneau. Friends here are commending him in wishing them lifelong happiness.

A chimney fire at the M. L. Graham home this morning caused a lot of excitement, but no serious damage was done. A collection of chemical extinguishers without difficulty.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS
Regular meeting of the village council held at the council hall on Monday, Feb. 20, at 8 P. M. Meeting called at the order by the president. All members present except Olestad and Hanson. Minutes of previous meeting were approved as read. On motion the following bills were allowed:
Merle Rolland, ward ... \$ 3.00
O. Gustaf, proceedings, etc. ... 8.00
N. S. Power Co., lights, 37¢
Board of O. Hanger at costable was approved.
Next meeting is to be held at office of the president.
On motion made and carried, meeting adjourned.
ELMER JOHNSON, Clerk.
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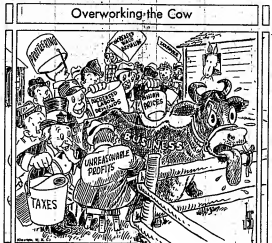
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Save up to \$3.00 per hundred by placing your orders NOW for K. L. Miller quality-plus baby chicks.

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Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week Told in Brief, News Concerning People You Know

The regular monthly meeting of the directors of the creamery was held Monday.

Mrs. Norman Bergh is improving after suffering a severe attack of mastoid trouble.

F. A. Hallstrom, pioneer resident of Folk Center, was in yesterday attending to business matters.

The local livestock shipping association will hold its annual meeting and election of officers next Monday afternoon.

A film on Bible camp will be shown Sunday, March 5th, at the local Norwegian Lutheran church. A collection will be taken for the Bible camp. All are welcome.

In the central and eastern part of the country rivers have opened and real spring weather prevails. Perhaps this preage is earlier than usual in this section.

Because of heavy demand during the severe cold spell the past few days, a coal shortage developed here this week. A carload is in transit however so the shortage will be short-lived.

Marvin Olsson left Tuesday for Westby, Wis., to be employed the coming season in a large hatchery. He will stay at the home of his brother, Sten, who is employed in the bank at Westby.

Chas. Twill had his hair singed and received minor burns Monday when a gasoline stove in his place exploded. His burns were received when he picked the stove up and carried it out in the street.

The local county snow plow was held up Tuesday evening because of a broken axle. A new part was brought down that night by Co. Engineer Erickson, and the plow went into service again the following morning.

Since light and power accounts are clear thru the Grand Forks by the fourth of March, the present month ends the 28th, it is especially desired that light and power bills be paid at this office by 5:00 P. M. on the 28th so they can be forwarded to Grand Forks that day.

The south office room at the creamery was painted this week and a new counter built in preparation for using the room as the creamery office hereafter.

A new door has been cut in the wall leading into the workroom. This change was made necessary when it was decided to keep all books and records at the creamery. The old office will hereafter be used as the director's room.

ORANGE SIDE WINS
The Orange team of the wheat tournament, which was held in the gymnasium this winter, bettered its standing last night by defeating the White team by a close score and was the victor of the latter's lunch. At present the standing of the two teams is 6 games for the White team to 3 for the Orange.

METHODIST CHURCH
Subject at meeting next Sunday evening will be "The Old Time Religion." Next Wednesday is regular meeting and prayer. Casey Anderson is in charge of the meetings.

February has been a cold month with below average temperature right about the middle of the month. The weather is the groundhog prediction was right after all. Two more weeks of winter will surely ensue.

SCHOOL PROCEEDINGS
The regular meeting of the Board of Education of School No. 102 was held in the St. Hilaire school building on Feb. 21, 1939 and was called to order by the chairman, Mrs. Eleanor Hanson at 8 P. M. Members present: Hanson, Larson, Brink, Jackson, Holmes and Sops. Graham. Members absent: Bebo.

The minutes of the last regular meeting of Jan. 17th were read and approved as read. Motion made by Brink and seconded by Jackson that the following bills be allowed: St. Hilaire Smeatman's supply, local printing \$38.00
St. Paul Book & Bldg. Co. library supply, 6.30
Wm. H. Dudley Educ. Service, last supplies, 32.25
A. C. McGillic & Co., last supplies, 7.78
Lowe & Campbell, repair bookshelves, 1.85
Northern States Power Co., lights & power, 10.47
Standard Oil Co., fuel oil, 6.00
Service Motor Garage, repairs fuel tank, 13.70
Motion made by Jackson and seconded by Brink that the board purchase five typewriters provided satisfactory servicing can be secured for same. Motion carried.

No further business, motion for adjournment carried.
J. L. HOLMES, Clerk.
Approved: Mrs. Eleanor Hanson, President.

The eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Groven, who has attended high school at Minneapolis, returned home last week and has enrolled at the local school.

Mrs. and Mrs. E. D. Jensen have been busy the past week renovating the buildings on the former Miss McAndrews farm to which place they are moving next week from the Hartje farm.

The large snowplow belonging to the county came down Wednesday and opened the state road east to Dave Johnson's corner, and another place near Hanel which became blocked during the recent storm. Drifts to the height of six and seven feet now bank that place of road where the plow went through.

25 Years Ago
The Remittji Lumber Company's mill at Bemidji was destroyed by fire with a loss of \$100,000.00. Three hundred men were thrown out of work.

John Schulin was given the contract for building the new Swedish Lutheran parsonage.

The Stale building was being dismantled and material was being taken to the Alfson farm.

Friends of Eva Johnson surprised her that Thursday, the 23rd of February, on her anniversary.

ALLOT \$234,000 FOR ELECTRICAL PROJECT

The Pennington-Red Lake rural electrification project, which had been in organization since the past year, was given impetus this week by notification from Washington that the Rural Electrification Administration had granted an allotment for building of the line. A telegram received at this office Tuesday from U. S. Senator Ernest Lundeen states the R. E. A. has granted an allotment of \$234,000 to the Red Lake county electrification project to build 221 miles of line, serving 688 members in Red Lake, Pennington and Marshall counties.

We have given every possible assistance to this project. Started originally as two different projects in Pennington and Red Lake counties, a consolidation was effected last year to meet government requirements.

Granting of the necessary funds will permit sponsorship to proceed with advertising and letting of contracts to build the line, and it is probable actual construction work will be started the coming spring. The wiring of 688 farmsteads in preparation for the use of electrical energy is in itself no small project and this will be entirely separate from the high-line system.

Thus far no source of supply of electrical energy has been arranged for, but it may come through the Northern States Power Company which is the only concern with a section with generating facilities ample enough to handle 221 miles of line.

When completed, the electrification project will serve a big territory east of the Red Lake river in both Pennington and Red Lake counties, and will be a big step forward in progress for this section.

P. T. A. MET FRIDAY
Regular monthly meeting of the P. T. A. Teachers Association was held Friday evening at the school auditorium. Owing to inclement weather, a smaller crowd than usual attended. Mrs. J. M. Bishop of Thier River Falls was the speaker of the evening and gave a most interesting talk on Washington, the meeting being in commemoration of Washington's Birthday. Mrs. Bishop is well versed in her subject, and her talk was very well received. Lunch was served after the program.

Mrs. and Mr. A. Brink write from McAllen, Texas, that the heat is oppressive down there now. They plan to leave sometime home about March 1st, travelling by easy stages along the Mississippi, and expect to arrive here about April 10th.

Your Creamery

The creamery, organized and built by the people of this community because they saw a need for co-operative marketing of their farm products, can grow and prosper only in the same proportion as it is patronized by the people of the community. Work and boost for the creamery. The more you patronize it, the greater your profits will be.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

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How Women in Their 40's Can Attract Men

Men and women are a strange thing. They are always looking for something new. They are always looking for something different. They are always looking for something better.

The Abolition of the Winds and Waves are always on the side of the abject - Gibbon.

COUGHS DUE TO COLDS

To quiet these coughs and soothe the inflamed throat, use this simple remedy. It is a sure cure for all coughs and colds.

MUSTEROLE

Good for Night
Too good for great things and too great for good - Folks.

OLD FOLKS

Consider the fact that old folks are the backbone of the nation. They are the ones who have built the country and they are the ones who are still here.

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What to Eat and Why

C. Houston Goidus Helps to Answer the Question: What to Eat During Lent?

By C. HOUSTON GOIDUS

A CLERGYMAN's friend of mine once remarked that in his opinion, Lent lasts far too long. He had reference, I believe, to the fact that it is a self-imposed fast, people might be more apt to keep Lent faithfully, if it terminated in a shorter period than 40 days.

Many housewives, I feel sure, would echo his sentiments, but for a rather different reason. Numbers of them, I know, find the six weeks of Lent the most troublesome of the entire year. Their difficulty arises in planning meagre meals that satisfy hearty appetites. And since the weather is often bitterly cold in late February and early March, families usually seem hungrier, and harder to satisfy than at almost any other season.

A chance for variety. Lent does challenge the housewife to exercise imagination and ingenuity. But it also provides a golden opportunity for the use of a new sort of food.

Most of us feel that meat is the meat. And it cannot be denied that its savory attractiveness gives it a most appealing and tempting flavor. But there are a number of other foods which contain protein of equal biological value. Furthermore, protein-rich food is that it is desirable to obtain protein from a number of different sources. That is because different foods contain different amounts of different amino acids; and by eating a variety of protein foods, we can obtain a wide assortment of these "building stones" of the body.

For Meatless Meals. Fish counts to mind, first of all, as a meat dish for the meatless day. For those who are far from the sea, there are the quick-frozen varieties. These are the quick-frozen varieties. These are the quick-frozen varieties.

Canned salmon is one of the best substitutes of all protein foods. And so many things can be said in its favor that one is tempted to know food authority referred to it as the most nutritious animal food that could be had for children over six. It is a reliable source of minerals, especially calcium, phosphorus and iodine, and contains vitamins A, D, and G.

Cheese in Many Forms. Cheese is another excellent source of protein that should be used more freely, not only during Lent, but throughout the entire year. It is high in energy values, and in addition, it contains the salts of calcium, potassium and phosphorus. A cheese is no doubt one of the most nutritious animal food that could be had for children over six. It is a reliable source of minerals, especially calcium, phosphorus and iodine, and contains vitamins A, D, and G.

Macaroni, Spaghetti and Noodles. Cheese is especially good when combined with such foods as macaroni, spaghetti or egg noodles. It affords a pleasant flavor contrast, and it is a good source of protein. And it is a good source of protein.

Other for your bedroom! Use Gray Scraps to Make Applique Quilt.

Color for your bedroom! Use Gray Scraps for the walls, and use the scraps for the walls, and use the scraps for the walls.

Questions Answered

Mrs. W. R. B.—Just to show you that food which is seemingly dry may contain large amounts of water—cucumbers, which you say, have been found to average 94.9 per cent water, and sweet potatoes 72.6 per cent water.

Mrs. F. B. B.—One glass of whole milk and one glass of water is enough for the day's protein needs. A medium-sized egg like a chicken egg, which is a reliable source of protein, contains 12.6 per cent of the protein requirement.

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requires 40 yards of 36-inch material, plus 1/2 yard of contrasting material and 24 yards of elastic.

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SAFETY TALKS

Most Hazardous Occupation

MOST farmers probably would join the use of industry's steel-sheaf safety shoes, hard hats to protect their heads from falling objects, and gloves with unbreakable linings in ward of possible accidents from the griddles and splinters from the wood-cutting power saw.

The National Safety Council reports that of 13,000 fatalities in occupational accidents during 1937, agriculture, or farm accidents, contributed 4,500. Trade and service industries were responsible for another 4,300 accidental deaths. All other industries experienced fewer accidental fatalities during that year, the council said.

The Farmer.

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DECLAM CONTEST TONIGHT

The district declamation contest for schools in this section will be held at Red Lake Falls tonight. Hazel Hingstland with her dramatic selection "Honey," and with Miss Marion "A's" coach, will represent the local school.

Brief funeral services were held at the home in this village, and later at the Black River Swedish Lutheran church Friday to the former Mrs. Lena Hallstrom. The black river church was filled to capacity by friends and former neighbors who came to pay their last respects to Mrs. Hallstrom. Interment was in the churchyard cemetery.

E. D. Jensen and family moved Friday to the former Mrs. McAndrews farm north of the village. On the same day, Mrs. W. H. Harteje took possession of their place vacated by Jensen. Mr. and Mrs. Harteje are having some remodeling done on their residence and contemplate other improvements this coming spring.

Mrs. Anna Olson and son, Myron, accompanied by a friend, from Thief River Falls, left last week by car on a trip to California. Enroute they were to visit a brother of Mrs. Olson at Grand Junction, Colo., and then go on for a visit with her sister at Modesto, Calif. They planned to visit the San Francisco exposition before returning.

Reference to Poetry, Knowledge
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The new rate will be four and one-half per cent a year, and as an acknowledgment will be charged only for the period which the members actually have the money," continued Secretary Lund. "The reduction also is effective in all other production credit associations throughout the country. This is the lowest rate at which production credit banks have been made available and the lowest discount rate for the federal intermediate credit bank."

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WOULD DISCONTINUE

Press reports state the Soo Line has applied to the state railroad and warehouse commission for permission to discontinue service on the branch from Plummer to Duluth. Inadequate expenses to meet operating expenses is given as the reason. If granted, this would virtually sound the death knell for a number of flourishing towns on that line. Already in financial difficulties, the Soo Line is following the lead of other roads similarly situated. In trying to rid itself of unprofitable lines, it is being forced to discontinue many of their branch lines within the next few years.

WILL ERECT NEW BUILDING

Hilding Berg of Enkino, whose hardware store building was damaged by fire about two months ago, has let a contract for dismantling what is left of the structure, and when the lot is cleared will start erection of a new brick building to be ready for occupancy by June 1.

ATTEND SHAWL PAGEANT

Members of the Woman's Club were at Thief River Falls Monday evening to witness the Shawl Pageant presented by the Music group of the Woman's Club of that city. Costume dating from 1776 to the present time, most of them real works of art, were shown. One of the most interesting exhibits was a beautiful shawl said to be more than 300 years old. This was the first exhibit of its kind ever shown in this county.

Card of Thanks

Words are inadequate to express our deep gratitude to the many friends for the kindnesses extended to me during the illness and after the death of our dear mother. We thank those who called with expressions of kindness and sympathy; those who shared with us the long night vigils; those who gave flowers and in memory gifts; those who sang, and to Rev. M. A. Larson and Rev. M. L. Dahle for the comfort of the Word of God.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sorvig, Raymond, Evelyn and Robert, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Hallstrom and Jeanie.

LAND OLAKES MEET

HELD IN T. R. FALLS

The Auditorium was well filled, Wednesday afternoon with dairymen and co-operators representing creameries throughout this section at the annual District 17 meeting of Land Olakes Creameries. Stuart Meland, district president, was in charge of the meeting, which was addressed by John Brandt, president of Land Olakes Creameries, and Robert J. Lund of this city, with musical selections supplied by the Lincoln High school band directed by H. C. Riggs and vocal groups from the public schools under the direction of Miss Ruth E. Nelson.

A feature of the afternoon was the award by John Lager, field manager of the district, to the district efficiency and cream grade. 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RURAL ELECTRIC PROJECTS MERGED

Merge of the Pennington County Co-op. Electric association with the first Lake County Co-op. Electric association was effected yesterday at a meeting held at Red Lake Falls. Merge of the two groups was made necessary by government regulations so that the combined project could take advantage of the recent grant made by the Rural Electrification Administration.

A board of eight directors, four to represent each county, was elected to handle affairs of the association. With these preliminaries completed, the matter of selecting a manager and engineer to supervise construction, and letting of contract for construction, will be gotten under way. A large part of the 221 miles of proposed line will be east of the Red Lake river in the two counties. A number of farmers living near the proposed lines, who did not sign the original petition, have expressed a desire to come in for service. This will mean more miles of line as well as more customers than originally stated.

MANY INFLUENZA CASES
Many cases of influenza are reported in this territory as well as throughout the country. Most of the cases are of mild type and the illness usually runs over in two or three days. The state department of health warns those who have influenza not to attempt to be out too early because a relapse may prove much more serious than the first attack.

WILL INSTALL SIGNAL
The state highway department has let a contract for installation of an automatic signal at the Great Northern crossing a short distance west of Ranc station where two fatal accidents occurred last year.

R. A. Young of Red Lake Falls, formerly of this village, has bought an interest in a specialty business at Crookston. He severed his connection with the Coast-to-Coast store at Red Lake Falls, and went to Crookston last week. His family will join him as soon as living quarters can be secured.

BABY CHICKS

Save up to \$3.00 per hundred by placing your orders NOW for K. L. Miller quality-plus baby chicks.

COME IN AND SEE ME FOR PARTICULARS
ART HANSON
St. Hilare, Minn.

Some folks
have never cooked
electrically... but
those who HAVE,
say they wouldn't
CHANGE
for anything.

ALIENS LOSE JOBS

Several hundreds of aliens, as well as many others who failed to establish their claims to citizenship, were removed from WPA rolls in this state the past week. Their places are being filled from a good sized waiting list of persons who have applied for work but were unable to get any because the state quota of workers was filled.

PETTIT JURORS MEET

Monday, a week by agreement between Judge Bradford and attorneys interested in the different actions, the petit jurors summoned for duty at the county seat next Monday morning instead of March 6th. It is anticipated the session will be a short one as there are only a few cases on the calendar.

ORANGE TEAM WINS

The process of evening up standings of teams in the wheat tournament went steadily forward last night when the Orange team was another game from the White team by a close score of two points lead. Another meeting which possibly will be the final for this season, will be held at the hall two weeks from last night.

25 Years Ago

Carl Pearson of Crookston, brother of Neil, Sam and Christ Pearson of this place, died at Crookston hospital as a result of injuries sustained in a fall from a building on which he was employed as carpenter.

Rev. F. L. Larson, pastor of the Second, Elmhurst church, resigned his pastorate because of ill health.

Dave Lazar purchased the store building in which he has conducted a mercantile business for two years.

The creamery made arrangements for opening of a new station at Wylie.

Mrs. Josie Johnson came Tuesday from Loomis, S. D., for a visit with her father and her sons, Henry Kalland, Helga and Amanda Kalland and Mrs. W. J. Janda.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief, News Concerning People You Know

Time marches on—on 14th, soon to be April.

Rawlin Novak shipped a carload of hogs from here yesterday to market at Fargo.

Thawing weather has just about spoiled usefulness of the ice rink for the present season.

James Kinney went down near the city this week for a short business and pleasure trip.

With almost all pupils absent because of illness, the local school was closed Thursday and Friday.

Gust Nelson, who has not been in the best of health this winter, was taken yesterday to a hospital at Thief River Falls for treatment.

Mrs. Glen Gilbertson came Friday from Mason City, Iowa, for a visit with friends in the village, and with her niece, Eric Kettelson.

Tom Larson and Mike Highland left this morning with others from Red Lake Falls to attend a meeting with the state highway department at St. Paul.

Owing to so much illness throughout the territory, only a small number of adults saw the presentation of the movie pictures at the school Tuesday night.

Al Drink and family start next week from McAllen, Texas, on their way home. Barrows and family will visit points of interest along the Mississippi, and expect to arrive here the fore part of April.

Co. Commissioner Paul Roy was at Thief River Tuesday to preside at the regular monthly meeting of the county board. The following day members of the board made a trip of inspection over the county roads to ascertain their condition for spring breakup. They were agreeably surprised to find the roads in much better shape than anticipated.

NOT HALITOUS, JUST THE NEW CAGE OFFENSE
Redwood Falls—Coach Zimmerman was very vocal for the authenticity of the story that Tracy basketball players were a new set as part of their "defense" against the Redwood Falls team.

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SAN WORK DELAYED

Construction work on the new addition to Oakland Park Sanatorium has been delayed owing to non-approval by the Omaha office of F.W.A. to certain parts of the contract for general construction. If the revised contract is approved, as it likely will be, the change gives contract for general construction to a Minneapolis firm instead of to C. O. Stoen of Grand Forks. It is expected construction work will get under way by April.

ATTEND DISTRICT TOURNEY

St. Hilare played climax in the first round of the district basketball tournament Tuesday evening at Crookston. The team was accompanied by Sam E. R. Graham, Coach Cleve Bergquist, Misses Anderson, Erickson and Mills of the local faculty, and a Pep band and squad. The game was 10-0 at half and ended 28-18 in favor of climax.

STRIKE NEARS SETTLEMENT

Strike of elevator operators at Minneapolis which has tied up elevator service in practically all the large office buildings and near settlement today after concessions were made of building owners.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson are the happy parents of twins, both boys born Tuesday at the Mercy hospital at Thief River Falls. They weighed 8 lbs. 11 ounces and 8 lbs. 12 ounces, respectively, at birth. Mother and babies are getting along fine.

The Hallock hockey team took the States-Dominion hockey league championship this week by defeating Thief River Falls. The latter team had made a splendid showing during the last half of the season and was a favorite to win the championship.

Annual elections in all township units throughout the state will be held Tuesday, March 14th.

Ladies' Aid at Norwegian Lutheran church Friday, March 10. Served by Mrs. S. M. Olsen, Mrs. Dave Johnson and Mrs. Knute Kolesid. M-9

BATTERIES--

U. S. L. A. batteries for radios and cars, Eveready Layer-Built "B" batteries, also flashlight batteries and bulbs. We carry a complete line for all uses.

See us for Zenith radios--the radio that can be used for battery or high line service by simply turning a switch. We have a number of used radio sets at very low price. See us before buying a radio or supplies.

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Bilton & Olson, Props.
St. Hilare, Minn.

Your Creamery

The creamery, organized and built by the people of this community because they saw a need for co-operative marketing of their farm products, can grow and prosper only in the same proportion as it is patronized by the people of the community. Work and boost for the creamery. The more you patronize it, the greater your profits will be.

St. Hilare Co-op. Creamery Association
St. Hilare, Minn.

By C. HOUSTON GOUDISS

white is often withheld and only the grated yolk given. . .

Rich in Iron and Phosphorus



rich foods that we call "protective." They contain substances that are very efficient for growth and development. And in the opinion of nutritionists, they are more nearly interchangeable with

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Eggs contain proteins of high quality, and their proteins seem to be particularly well adapted to building body tissue. That is one reason why this food is so desirable in the child's diet . . . so useful in constructing the diet for adults who need "building up." It also makes eggs a logical

It's interesting to note that the proteins of the white and yolk of an egg are quite different in their properties. Egg white is almost pure protein and water, while the protein of the yolk is composed of a different assortment of amino acids, or building stones.

Simple Designs Are
Lovely on Linens



Cutwork's just buttonhole stitch! And even if you've never tried it, you'll find these simple designs so lovely on scarves, towels, pillow cases. They're bound to attract attention. Pattern 1960 contains a transfer pattern of 18 motifs ranging from 1 by 3 inches to 2 by 15 inches; materials required; illustration.

Jerry on the Job!



French toast is a simple luncheon dish, combining the energy values of bread with the fine nutritive values of eggs. Hearty luncheon salads or sandwiches can be made by combining chopped or sliced hard-cooked eggs with fresh or cooked vege-

Questions Answered

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What Are You Going to Do?
IT DEPENDS on whether you're going to kill someone or just injure him.
If the automobile accident you

your car will strike a pedestrian. On the other hand, if only non-fatal injuries are inflicted, it's an odds-on bet that you'll bump smack into another motor vehicle. National Safety Council statis-

However, the Council says, it is collisions between two or more motor vehicles that produce the bulk of non-fatal injuries—53 per cent or 725,000 cases in 1937. Collisions between a motor vehicle and a pedestrian produce the next largest number of non-fatal injury cases—25 per cent or 338,000 cases.



**Remarkable "suds"
New 1940 Rinso—**

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Send 15 cents for
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ACTS TO BRING FROM

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No. 1678.—If you take a large size, you will find the dress with lifted waistline and circular

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"If the automobile had been developed in the same way that the political machine has developed, it would now weigh ten tons and cost five thousand dollars, it would have attached to it a steam-roller, a lawn mower, an egg beater, a permanent-wave machine and heaven only knows what else!" —U. S. Representative Bruce Barton.



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ANSWER
Yes, their added alkaline factor helps build up your alkaline reserve.

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What can laws do without
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OLDTIME BLIZZARD HITS NORTHWEST

A genuine oldtime blizzard, the worst storm of the present winter, hit the entire Northwest this week. Starting Monday evening with a 30 mile wind from northeast, the storm continued unabated until late Wednesday night blocking roads in northwestern states and paralyzing auto traffic. In this immediate area the snowfall is estimated to be from eight to ten inches. The high wind whipped up the loose snow drifting to four and five feet in places. Numerous calls came in from motorists stranded on the highways; many schools were closed because buses were unable to run; service on mail routes were curtailed, and some farmers experienced difficulty in getting in sufficient fodder for their livestock. Driven by the wind, streets in towns were drifted to a depth of two feet in many places thus effectively shutting off all traffic on them. Train schedules in the Northwest were disrupted, although the train on this line maintained nearly on schedule time. As the storm began to wane, temperatures dropped to below zero in this locality. The weather forecast states clear and sunny weather may be expected toward end of the week. Coming at the end of a period of two weeks of cold weather, it is quite likely the storm this week will be the last one of any magnitude for this winter.

Both state and county plow went out yesterday morning to clear main roads were recalled later in the day because a brisk northwest wind drifted in snow almost as fast as the plows moved it.

JAILED FOR HOLDUP
Lewellyn Ferguson, 19 year old Alvarado youth, thought he was taking a shortcut to easy money last week when he held up an oil station at East Grand Forks and got away with a few dollars. Apprehended shortly after the heave, the young man pleaded guilty to first degree robbery charges and was sentenced to a prison term of from 5 to 40 years.

PIONEER TRAIN TO FAIR

The Great Northern's pioneer passenger train consist of two ancient coaches pulled by the old wood-burning William Crook engine left St. Paul this week under its own power en route to the New York world fair where it will become part of one of the displays showing the progress of transportation. The old train which always creates a great deal of interest wherever shown, came up this line a few years ago to be on display during a celebration at Boston. The engine was named for William Crook, first engineer of the Great Northern and the city of Crookston also was named for him.

COUNTY FARMERS WARNED AS TO AAA RULINGS ON FLAX

An important ruling regarding the classification of flax in the 1939 agricultural conservation program has been released by the Agricultural Adjustment administration, announced Howard S. Grew, county agent. The ruling may affect some farmers in Pennington County as that western farmer should thoroughly understand the ruling before he seeks flax on acreage in excess of the allotment on the farm. A summary of the ruling is as follows: All flax sowed shall be classified as seed sowing unless it is used as seed sowing or for human or domestic use. Flax sowed for seed shall be classified as seed sowing and flax sowed for human or domestic use shall be classified as seed sowing. The flax sowed for seed shall be classified as seed sowing and flax sowed for human or domestic use shall be classified as seed sowing.

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The Surest Sign of Spring



Tales About Town

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Next Tuesday, March 21, is the official beginning of spring, if that means anything.

The Four Square gospel meetings held at the home of E. F. church each Sunday and Wednesday evening at 7:45 are still continuing.

The next meeting of the PTA is to be held Friday, March 24, at 8 o'clock and weather conditions permit. The program will be by the band.

After spending a few months with relatives in this locality, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bengtson left Monday for Glacier park where he has employment.

The Ladies' Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be held at the home of Mrs. E. F. church each Friday, March 24.

Elmer Johnson and family, accompanied by Mrs. Arvid Dahlstrom returned Sunday to Moorhead, N. D., and spent the day with relatives, returning that evening.

Annual spring elections in the different townships of this county, as well as throughout the state, were held Tuesday. Due to weather conditions, attendance was light at most meetings in this county.

The local county snow plow started work this morning at clearing drifts on the school bus route east of here. Until late last night the snow was drifting so fast it was useless to attempt to open the roads.

Russel McKeeber was high bidder Monday when the livestock shipping association met to sell its scale and scale house on the Great Northern right-of-way. Russel intends to take the building out to his land south of the village.

THIEF RIVER LANDS TITLE

Thief River Falls, the defending Minnesota high school basketball champion, retained its title in District 31 by defeating Crookston in that city last Friday night. Crookston seemed to have the edge during the first three quarters and for a time it looked like they might win by a single tally, but a field goal by Captain Earl Nicholson during the last 28 seconds of play brought a 12-11 victory for Thief River Falls.

At the regular meet for Region 8 to be held at Poston today and tomorrow, Thief River will meet the Ada quint in what promises to be a real battle.

MRS. IRA CARPENTER DIES
Leo Carpenter received word Tuesday evening that his mother, Mrs. Ira Carpenter, age 78, of Isle, Minn., had died that evening after suffering a heart attack. Before going to Isle to see her, Mrs. Carpenter was residents of this community. They and family came from Iowa in 1902 to engage in their farm southeast of here for some years, they lived in the village. The old couple celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary a couple years ago. Still retaining their farm, Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter made one or two trips here each year to look after their interests, and are well known to everyone in this village and vicinity.

Mrs. Carpenter is survived by her husband, who became 90 years of age in January, and by a family of three daughters and three sons. The children are: Mrs. George Gaskin (Maude) of Waterloo, Iowa; Charles at Wilmot Springs, Ark.; Earl at Thief River Falls; and Mrs. J. S. Roy of this village. Mrs. J. S. Roy of this village, also have preceded her in death.

Funeral services were held this afternoon at the Norwegian Lutheran church, with Rev. M. L. Dahl officiating. Many old friends and neighbors were present to pay their last respects to Mrs. Haugen who had a place in the hearts of all who knew her. Interment was made in the family plot in the cemetery east of the village.

LAKE MAY RESTORE MAPLE
Several towns in this part of the state have gone on record as favoring a project to restore the water levels of Maple Lake south of Moorhead in Red Lake county. Tributaries of Grand Forks, Crookston, Ada, Fertile and other towns, many people from those places erected substantial summer cottages, and the lake was a popular resort and fishing place until its waters dwindled to not much more than a pond some years back. The plan now under consideration contemplates restoring level of the lake and restoring it with fish so it will again become attractive to property owners and tourists.

SERIOUS AUTO MISHAP
Six persons were injured, two of them seriously, when two cars met head on on the trunk road seven miles west of Thief River Falls late Friday night. According to reports, one of the cars carried a party of Thief River Falls young people returning home from a basketball tournament at Crookston by way of Warren.

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MRS. H. O. HAUGEN DIED SATURDAY

Mrs. Gunhild Haugen, age 77, a resident of Thief River Falls, died Saturday at a Thief River Falls hospital following an illness of long duration.

Mrs. Haugen, nee Gunhild Strand, was born in Hallingdal, Norway, and came to this country with her parents at an early age, to reside at Lake Park, Minn. Her girlhood days were spent in that locality. After her marriage to Halvor Haugen they established their home near the village of Cumming in North Dakota, being among the early settlers in that state. In 1902 they moved to the farm in Thief River Falls which has since long been the family home. A life-long member of the Norwegian Lutheran church, Mrs. Haugen took a keen interest in its activities, and was an active member of the Aid.

Deceased is survived by her son, Oscar T. Haugen and three daughters, one daughter preceded her in death years ago. She is also survived by four sisters and two brothers: Mrs. S. Pottery of Ulen; Mrs. Gena Jensen of Harlow, N. D.; Mrs. Hannah Larson of Windholm, Mont.; Mrs. Minnie Early, Carl and Theodore Strand of Lake Park. Two other brothers and one sister, Mrs. J. S. Roy of this village, also have preceded her in death.

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Dr. D. S. Horn was unable to make his trip here this week because of illness and poor road conditions. It is expected to come again April 4.

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THIEF RIVER FALLS REGIONAL CHAMPS

The Thief River Falls high school basketball team, state champions last year, started this year by taking the same goal in March toward the same goal this year by taking the regional championship last Friday night at Foston when they defeated Middle River by a score of 38 to 19. They earned the right to enter the regional contest by eliminating Ada high the previous evening.

The Middle River boys started the scoring with the score being 14 to 0 at the opening whistle. At the quarter the score was even, and at half-time the Thief River led by only two points. Never a flashy starting team, the Thief River boys held the score fairly close until the last quarter when they unveiled their shooting as well as their foul game began to show results on the score board. It is estimated fully 2000 people witnessed the contest.

The Thief River champs are at St. Paul this week to make another try for the state championship. Using the same generalship that has characterized their play all three seasons, they are favorites to win, and it is entirely possible the state basketball crown may again come to Pennington county this year.

Anderson-Mossstad
Miss Ruby Anderson, Mrs. Mossstad, and Mr. Oscar Mossstad of Numedal were united in marriage last Saturday evening at the local Norwegian Lutheran parsonage. Rev. J. L. Dahle officiated at the ceremony. The young couple will make their home on a farm in Norton township in this county.

C. T. Swanson of Sanders township was taken Monday to a hospital at Thief River to receive treatment for an attack of double pneumonia.

In the annual township election in River Falls the following were elected: W. P. Wilson, supervisor; Anton E. Anderson, treasurer; Frank Johnson, clerk; and Ferlie Swenson, assessor.

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SENIOR CLASS PLAY

The senior class play "Happiness Ahead" will be presented at the high school auditorium Friday, March 21. There will be a matinee performance for children during the afternoon.

Plot of the story in "Happiness Ahead" centers in the community room of the Spruce Valley Trailer Camp located in the Rocky Mountains in Colorado.

Members of the cast are: Evelyn Nelson, Gurne Jensen, Robert Jensen, Olive Almqvist, Harvey Olegard, Irene Volden, Robert Gustaf, Phyllis Frost, by Robert Rosendahl, Marjorie Schowald, Donald Johnson and Elizabeth Swanson.

MISS HARDER BECOMES BRIDE OF MR. NORDEN

SAUNDERS, FEB. 18TH
Miss Eva Harder became the bride of Mr. Elmer C. Norden at a ceremony held at the Lutheran Church last Saturday evening. Reverend John L. Caudle solemnized the marriage.

Attendants were Miss Ann Johnson and Mr. Howard Whelan.

For the ceremony the bride was attired in a rose frock complemented with a corsage of narcissus.

Mr. and Mrs. Norden will make their home in Juneau, Alaska being an employee of the Alaska-Jensen Gold Mining Company.

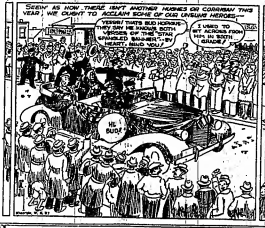
Mrs. Norden returned here only a short time ago after spending the last several months visiting at her former home in Minnesota. Before that time she was employed as a waitress at the Pioneer Cafe in Juneau.

The above clipping from the Alaska Daily Press under date of February 18, will be of interest to many people in this community where the bride resided for many years.

Mrs. Minnie Early returned yesterday to her home at Labor Park after being called here by the death of her sister, Mrs. Donald Haggen.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Swenson of River township visited briefly in the village Monday while Park after being called here by the death of her sister, Mrs. Donald Haggen.

Folks Who Ought to Be in History



Tales About Tamm

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Regular monthly meeting of the directors of the creamery was held Monday afternoon. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. L. A. Carpenter.

Mrs. Anna Olson and son, Roy, returned Saturday after having spent a month visiting relatives in Colorado and California. While in San Francisco they visited the big exposition recently opened.

With the mercury well above the freezing point, the first day of spring was last Sunday. Snow-falls are slinking rapidly, and water courses are opening permitting surplus surface water to drain away.

Temperatures ranging from 40 to 50 above both Tuesday and yesterday served to reduce proportions of the huge snow drifts. With another week of the same brand of weather, there will be little snow left.

Rev. and Mrs. B. Dahlstrom and family of Worthington came the first of the week for a visit at the home of the father, Alf Dahlstrom. On the return trip they expect to stop for a visit with his former parishioners at Grantsburg, Wis.

CELEBRATE 50TH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Rosette, residents of this community for about twenty years, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary yesterday at a gathering of family, neighbors and friends at their home northeast of the village. Mr. and Mrs. Rosette were married in Blue Earth, Minn., March 22, 1889. Before coming to this locality they resided for a number of years at Germantown. They have a family of five children: Selmer at Eskaton, Minn.; Leif at Eskaton, Minn.; Leif at Eskaton, Minn.; Leif at Eskaton, Minn.; Leif at Eskaton, Minn.

A well arranged program of music and declamation, in charge of Mrs. Harry Winter, was given prior to the wedding dinner which was served cafeteria style to some thirty persons present. Rev. M. L. Dahle was present and spoke in a vein appropriate for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosette were the recipients of many beautiful gifts from relatives and friends as well as a handsome remembrance of the happy event, as well as an abundance of good wishes. Other friends in the community will join in expressing congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Rosette upon their reaching the 50th milestone of married life.

APPROVE 4 CENT GAS TAX

The legislature has given approval to continuation of the four cent gas tax for Minnesota, and it seems quite likely the measure will become law. Without action during this session, the tax on gasoline would automatically have reverted to the former figure of three cents on the first of July. Need of the funds to carry on the highway program this year was the main reason for setting the tax at four cents for another two years.

OBITUARY OF MRS. IRA CARPENTER

Josephine Kessell was born December 14, 1880 in Jersey City, New Jersey and moved with her parents to Waterloo, Iowa, when a child. She lived there until her marriage to I. A. Carpenter, August 21, 1899, when they made their home at Labor Park and later at Waterloo, Iowa. In 1902 they moved with their family to St. Hilaire, Minn., to reside until 1921 when they moved to Lake Minnetonka where they have since made their home.

Mrs. Carpenter died March 14 at the age of 58 years and three months. Surviving are her husband, three daughters, three sons, 22 grandchildren, and four great grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted March 17 at the Presbyterian church at Lake with Rev. Philip of Farmington, and Rev. Chas. Brink of Lake officiating. Out-of-town relatives present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Carlson and son, Sylvester, of Waterloo; Mrs. Roy Rodman and daughters Irene and Mary; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rodman of Labor Park; Harold White and Vernice Briddle of Waterloo, Ia., and Leo Carpenter of St. Hilaire.

CELEBRATE 50TH BIRTHDAY

Alfred Dahlstrom, pioneer farmer of the Lake River tract, celebrated the 50th milestone on his life's journey last Tuesday, Mar. 21. His children, sons and daughters, and friends had prepared to celebrate the significant event. A one o'clock dinner was enjoyed at the Dahlstrom home when the following participated: Alfred Dahlstrom, Harry and Alvin Dahlstrom, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson, Raymond and Marian, Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Dahlstrom, Robert and Donald, and Martin Peterson.

In the evening the additional relatives and friends assembled at the Dahlstrom home and tendered Mr. Dahlstrom a birthday party. Rev. and Mrs. Roy White and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Peterson and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Anderson and Leola and Ethel White.

An impromptu program was rendered at 9 o'clock in the evening consisting of scripture reading and prayer by Rev. W. Berg, special singing by Mrs. Wiegert, the J. A. Anderson girls, Rev. Elmer Dahlstrom, Merwin Anderson, Albert Anderson. Toasts were given by Rev. and Mrs. Wiegert, Mr. Peterson, Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Dahlstrom. Grandpa Dahlstrom responded with words of gratitude to the relatives and friends for their remembrance and for the well wishing and for the well wishing.

After the program a social hour followed when tasty refreshments were enjoyed by all. A beautifully decorated birthday cake baked by Mrs. Berg, was given to the birthday girl. A solo aria was presented by Mr. Dahlstrom by his family as a remembrance of the occasion.

Mr. Dahlstrom was unaware that anything had been planned for the celebration of his birthday so he received many pleasant surprises during the day.

In spite of his age he is strong and healthy, enjoying all the facilities of life. He is active in the past work of the farm and is also active in the work of the church and community, there continuing to serve his Lord and his fellow men.

LOAD LIMITS DUE ON TRUNK HIGHWAYS

Annual spring load restrictions, limits of many motorists but salvation of the highways, were ordered last week on some southern Minnesota highways and will be extended to other trunk routes in this section in the near future.

Load restrictions, despite the inconvenience caused to such motor vehicle operators as heavy truckers and bus operators, are the only weapons with which the state highway department can combat the destructive effects of the annual spring breakup without reaching deeply into the taxpayer's pockets.

All restricted roads will be clearly posted with signs, stating the maximum load tonnage permitted, and erected at both ends of the section affected.

Local newspapers, radio stations and all highway patrolmen will be kept in constant communication to enable motor vehicle operators in all sections of the state to learn in advance which roads in their area are to be restricted.

Although the mercury was only 15 below zero at the time, those who attended the basketball tournament at Foston last Friday night encountered a dense fog almost all the way home making auto traffic rather hazardous. It is quite unusual for fog to prevail in such low temperature.

The Orange team tied the white series by defeating the White team last night. A play-off game to decide the championship will be played next Wednesday night which will close the tournament for this season.

Construction work will be started shortly after the first of next month on the new addition to the high school, the sewage disposal plant, and the new addition to Oakland Park Sanatorium at Thief River Falls.

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WHAT TO EAT and WHY

C. Houston Goudiss Shows How the Right Foods Can Help to Guard Against Springtime Fatality

By C. HOUSTON GOUDISS

THE gap between winter and spring has always been recognized as a trying period. Work seems a burden, tempers are short, appetites are poor, and little enjoyment is derived from meals.

Just as the daily life of human vitality is at a low ebb during the hours before dawn, so does the annual tide of health reach a low ebb in the weeks that mark the end of winter and the official beginning of spring.

Bodily reserves have been gradually depleted until many children and adults suffer from lassitude and fatigue that cannot be dispelled merely by getting a good night's sleep.

The first Spring tonic a generation ago had to be brewed that pulchritude and mellowness, and sundries that would overcome springtime debility.

Homekeepers dressed their families in a variety of so-called tonics, to put color into pale cheeks, to soothe irritable nerves, and to come that tired feeling.

We know today why these effects are met with little success. The body has learned that what it needs is a carefully chosen diet rich in minerals and vitamins.

In those days, the science of nutrition was in its infancy. Vitamins were still undiscovered, and there was much that was learned about the role of the mineral salts in regulating the growth of the body.

No wonder modern groups of any nation that have been put into the hands of the world's leading scientists.

How lucky we are today! For science has taught us what we should eat to help increase our vitality, and build up the blood. And modern methods of transportation, storage, and preservation and packaging, have made the necessary foods easily available.

It merely remains for the homekeeper to acquire the skill with the nutritional needs of her family.

Enriching the Blood
The blood is frequently impurified by the time it reaches an appearance. That is not surprising in many people, because the winter diet contains a proportion of carbohydrates, with fats, with the few of the previous minerals and vitamins.

It is often deficient in iron, the mineral that is required for the formation of the hemoglobin, the red pigment in the blood, and in iron, which is required for the proper utilization of iron.

Iron-rich foods are indispensable to the blood. It is obvious that iron is available to replace them, the member will soon become normal. Moreover, it has been found that many minor disorders of the body cause a loss of iron, and that mild infections are a common cause of iron loss.

Thus, individuals who have been consuming a diet that is barely adequate in respect to iron may find themselves on the border line of iron deficiency following an infection.

Iron-Rich Foods
Every homekeeper, therefore, should make a determined effort to include plenty of iron-rich foods in her menu. These foods include liver, eggs, whole grain cereals, dried fruits, lean meats and green leafy vegetables.

Green vegetables cannot be emphasized too strongly. The iron of the winter diet by the steady and fatty foods which provide more heat and energy. And investigations with children have demonstrated that when vegetables and fruits are limited, there is a certain depletion of iron.

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SAFETY TALKS

How About Your Safety?
If you know all the rules about winter driving when it rains, and if you don't sleep in a draft, you probably take pretty good care of your health. But how about your safety?

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QUESTION
Why are Indians like Indians?

ANSWER
Both contain a factor of the same nature as your situation receive.

LUDE'S 5'
ANTHROPOMORPHIC

START A BUSINESS
AT HOME

ITEMS OF INTEREST
To the Housewife

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Easy Flat Crochet

For Baby's Carriage

Pattern No. 6071

Flat crochet with this Mother Goose figure, is just the thing for baby's carriage. The lace stitch sets off the baby and the lamb emblem on the plain mesh portion.

A color note is added by drawing a ribbon through the heading.

Pattern No. 6071 contains instructions and charts for making this set: a full illustration of it and of stitches; materials needed.

To obtain this pattern, and 15 cents in color to The Sewing Circle, Household Arts Department, 200 West 140 Street, New York, N. Y.

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RAW THROAT

If You Cough, Sorely Throat Comes from a Cold—You Can Often Get Fast Relief This Way

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TIPS TO Gardeners

Give Flowers a Break
Don't put an added burden on your flowers by taking them to the garden in conditions to which they are not used. Flowers are in warm, moist climates. Others, through the centuries, have become accustomed to intensive culture.

Certain flowers, for instance, may be grown successfully in a naturally cool, semi-shaded location. If you have such spots in your yard, don't plant your annuals or perennials there.

Any of the following will prove more satisfactory, according to Harry A. Joy, flower expert: Anemone—balsam, clarkii, color, nasturtium, ranunculus, and white perennials—English daisy, campanula, columbine, poppy, sweet William, and viola.

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CHARLES T. SWANSON, OLD PIONEER, DIES

Charles T. Swanson, one of the pioneer settlers in this community, and a resident of Sanders township for over fifty years, died Saturday morning at a Third River hospital after a short illness. He was born at Orinda, Sweden the 5th of November, 1861 and was 77 years, 4 months and 16 days of age at the time of his demise. He came to the United States in 1881 and shortly thereafter took up a homestead. In 1888 he was united in marriage to Elsie Peterson in this village and they have since resided on their farm in Sanders. Mr. and Mrs. Swanson observed the golden anniversary of their marriage last year.

A hard working, conscientious man, a good friend and neighbor, Mr. Swanson was highly esteemed by everyone in this community, and will be missed by all his friends.

He is survived by his wife and a family of ten grown children. The latter are: Mrs. A. H. Carlson (Selma) of Virginia, Minn.; Doro, Elsie, Alex, Robert, George and Richard, who all reside near here; Mrs. F. F. O'Brien (Mabel) of Grand Forks, N. D.; Mrs. L. P. O'Brien (Ida) of this village, and Mrs. T. H. Main (Eleanor) of Burbank, Calif. He also is survived by twenty-eight grandchildren, by three sisters and three brothers. The latter are Mrs. Augusta Nelson of Lake Wilson, Minn.; Mrs. Judith Taylor of La Mesa, Calif.; Mrs. Betty O'Brien of Elmhurst, Minn.; John Elson of St. Hilaire; Knute Swanson of Third River Falls, and Ernest Swanson of El Cajon, Calif. All members of Mr. Swanson's family were present at the funeral service which was held at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the local Rev. E. N. Wiberg officiating. The church was taken to capacity by the large number of relatives, friends and neighbors who attended. Interment took place in the Rux cemetery a short distance from The Swanson home, in Sanders township.

Jens Almgvist is planning to need a hundred acre or more of flax this spring on his St. Paul half section west of the village.

BABY CHICKS

Save up to \$3.00 per hundred by placing your orders NOW for K. L. Miller quality-plus baby chicks.

COME IN AND SEE ME FOR PARTICULARS
ART HANSON
St. Hilaire, Minn.

**Some folks
have never cooked
electrically... but
those who HAVE,
say they wouldn't
CHANGE
for anything.**

VACATION NEXT WEEK

The annual spring vacation at the local school will start next week, and continue until Tuesday morning, April 11th. This will give the school children a total of ten days in which to catch up on marble shooting and various other pursuits popular at this time of the year.

MRS. SARAH PAULSON
Mrs. Sarah Paulson, one of the early homestead settlers near Hase, died Sunday, March 19 at her home at Fargo. She had been ill for some time so death was not unexpected. Mrs. Paulson was born March 18, 1857, at Haselund, Norway. She observed her 82nd birthday the day before her death. Her husband came to this country in 1881 and was married to Peter Paulson at Lake Park in 1882. They came to St. Hilaire in 1888 and resided on their farm west of here for 43 years until they moved to Fargo in 1926. Her husband preceded her in death on March 22, 1931.

Mrs. Paulson is survived by four sons and three daughters. Paul, George and Wilma of Fargo; Mrs. Clarence Peterson of Duluth; William of Billings, Mont.; and Oscar Berggren of Hase, also by 17 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren. Two brothers and one sister, Mrs. Paulson was a Gold Star mother as one son, Axel, was killed in action on September 15, 1918 while a member of Co. H, 1st Inf., 30th Division in France. Mrs. Paulson was 37 years of age when she married Mr. Paulson. She is survived by 11 children, 30 grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren and many friends who will be grieved to learn of her death.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all our friends and neighbors for their kind sympathy during the illness and after the death of our beloved husband and father. Special thanks to Rev. R. M. Wiberg for his comforting words, to those who contributed the lovely flowers, and to those who sang the beautiful songs. Mrs. C. T. Swanson and family.

With the fall of Madrid, the Spanish civil war ended this week after more than two years of fighting in which over a million men, women and children lost their lives.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week Told in Brief News
Concerning People You Know

Mrs. Chas. Twiss returned this week after a sojourn in Idaho and other western states. Mrs. Twiss was at Crookston Tuesday night to attend a school-meeting.

First robins seen this spring were noted in Sanders yard last Saturday. Since that time many more have arrived.

Rev. Hanson of Holt will show the Bible Camp film at the Norwegian Lutheran church next Sunday evening, April 2, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hallstrom and daughter were down Tuesday evening from Thief River for a brief visit with friends and former neighbors.

Mrs. N. E. Beebe and son, Wendell, accompanied by Mrs. O. Gustaf, returned Monday evening after having spent a few days with relatives at Minneapolis, St. Paul, Mankato and Rapid.

Due to the ground freezing dry last fall, there will be very little run-off water this spring. The water goes into the ground so fast as the snow thaws. Old-timers say this is indicative of a good crop year.

Seed boxes on display; day-old chicks coming in by parcel post, and displays of poultry equipment in the store windows are signs that spring is here, even if the weather is a bit colder than is desired.

Mountain Lake, a southwestern Minnesota town, was winner of the state high school basketball championship last Saturday when its school team defeated Marshall high of Minneapolis in a thrilling game at St. Paul.

N. E. Beebe of this place, and Albert Johnson of Warren are enroute home after spending most of the winter in California. They are coming by way of Texas to permit Mr. Beebe to see his father, Mr. J. E. Beebe, at that state.

Friends of Mrs. Orlean Olson tendered her a surprise birthday party last Wednesday. A pleasant afternoon was spent, lunch was served, and Mrs. Olson was presented appropriate reminders of the occasion. Those present were Mrs. M. Highland, Mrs. N. Dahl, Mrs. M. Volden, Mrs. Ben Rosenbush and Isabelle, Mrs. Ole Olgren and Lea Sanderson, otherwise known as Mrs. Ole Erickson of Thief River Falls.

Rev. M. L. Dahl is nursing a sprained wrist and a sore shoulder as the result of a fall he came to at his home Monday.

Bill Bugh is moving his camp from the Centre to the Selmer Olson farm where he will complete a wood cutting project this spring.

The proposed law to allow with red neon lights in front of beer parlors, has failed to pass. How else, except by these lights, can one spot an oasis?

Mr. and Mrs. Al Brink and son are enroute home after having spent the winter at McAllen, Texas. They expect to arrive here on or before the 10th of April.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam L. Hauge of St. Paul were here Sunday for a visit with relatives. They spent Sunday night at the Otto Johnson home and left for home Monday morning. Sam recently was elected manager of a large creamery in southern part of the state and is taking charge Saturday. The family will reside in St. Paul until the end of the school year in June.

Ice in the Red river at Fargo commenced breaking up the first of this week. There is no trace of any breaking in the Red Lake river at this point, and indications are there will be but little flood water coming down river this spring which means the low will break and melt without going down stream.

Subscribe for the Spectator.

25 Years Ago

Dr. F. F. Dann received a new Emulgy car tractor to be used in breaking land on his big farm east of town.

The road between here and Thief River was surveyed with view of it being gravelled and made an all-weather road.

E. O. Burke was elected principal of the local school at a meeting of the school board that week.

Frank Dann shipped in a parload of settler's effects from Iowa which were taken out to the farm of his father, Dr. F. F. Dann.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Hegstrom moved in from their farm to their new residence property on Water street.

J. P. Edgington of Gilmore City, Iowa, shipped in a large tractor, outfit to be used in breaking his land in section 36 and 37 of his father, Dr. F. F. Dann, the school section, a mile west of town.

MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

ELECT MANAGER
At a meeting of the Red Lake-Pennings Rural Electrification Association held Monday at Red Lake Falls, B. E. Keland of that city was elected manager of the association. It was also decided to have the executive office at Red Lake Falls since most of the line is to be in that county. As soon as a satisfactory source of power is contracted for, contracts for building the lines will be let.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in Independent School District No. 100, Pennington County, Minnesota, on Tuesday, April 11th, between the hours of 7:00 and 9:00 P. M. for the purpose of taking a vote of the qualified electors upon the question of accepting a WPA grant and of assistance, and to authorize the school board of said district to expend not to exceed the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) of funds on hand, as sponsor's share of the project, to construct and build an addition to the school building in said district.

A special election will be held at time stated in the school building in the Village of St. Hilaire.
Dated March 30, 1939.
H. L. Holmes, Clerk.

WPA WORKERS UNLATCH

SUFFRAGE BONDS SECURELY
Walter-Nature turned back one of her little pranks when she was operating with WPA workers at Park Rapids, and she showed a little humor when she had his little handkerchief of paper in a pocket. WPA did not un-latch these funds, which included two shoulder blades, foreleg and part of skull bone. The school is pleased as if by an arrow which would indicate that this un-latch is wanted away from the land and across the family under the care of the Indians of this day.

Being to Yellow Bear
The Children and Japanese being to the Mountain or Yellow Bear.

SPECIAL ELECTION TUESDAY, APRIL 11

A special election will be held in the local school district Tuesday, April 11th. The election is for the purpose of authorizing the school board to formally accept a WPA offer of material and labor to be used in building an addition at the school, and to authorize the school board to expend not to exceed \$5,000 of funds already on hand in the school treasury as the district's share of the project. No new bonds will be asked, nor will taxpayers be asked to contribute in any other way. The voters will determine whether or not the board shall go ahead with a project which has been under consideration the past year.

SCHOOL PLAY FRIDAY

The senior class of "Happening Ahead", a three act comedy full of interesting incidents will be given at the school auditorium Friday evening this week. Musical selections will be rendered between the play. The play is to be one of the best ever given at the school so no one should miss seeing it.

Some of the fields west of town, especially those on high ground, are in prime shape for seeding. Some farmers in that vicinity have signified their intention of starting seeding this week. Other fields are drying rapidly and it is expected considerable seeding will be done next week.

The state highway patrol is clamping down on drunken drivers of cars. Up to this time in 1939, every convicted drunken driver has lost his license by revocation instead of suspension. The patrol has been given orders to stamp out the drunken driver menace, and is making a good job of it.

BATTERIES--

U. S. L. A. batteries for radios and cars, Eveready Lazer Bull "B" batteries, also flashlight batteries and bulbs. We carry a complete line for all uses.

See us for Zenith radios—the radio that can be used for battery or high line service by simply turning a switch. We have a number of used radio sets at very low price. See us before buying a radio or supplies.

Texaco Service Station

Biden & Olsen, Props.

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Your Creamery

The creamery, organized and built by the people of this community because they saw a need for co-operative marketing of their farm products, can grow and prosper only in the same proportion as it is patronized by the people of the community. Work and boost for the creamery. The more you patronize it, the greater your profits will be.

St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery Association

St. Hilaire, Minn.

It's Pretty to Wear And Easy to Make

Put the dress with patterned skirt and lifted waistline (No. 2710) in a lovely thing for larger women to wear. It's so simple, so soft and slenderizing, it's a bodice that fits perfectly, because the shoulders are skinned and the waistline gathered. Make this of silk crepe, georgette, chiffon or of any other material. Sew flowers or a jeweled pin at the neckline, deep V-neckline.

For slim figures, the bow-trimmed bodice (No. 1705) is particularly flattering, and it's



new as tomorrow morning. The dress, even without the bow, is a real show-stopper, with the high neckline, flaring skirt and tiny, tiny waist. Tailored enough for afternoon parties, too. This will, first of all, give you a pretty pattern for the

The Pattern.
No. 1710 is designed for sizes 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162, 164, 166, 168, 170, 172, 174, 176, 178, 180, 182, 184, 186, 188, 190, 192, 194, 196, 198, 200, 202, 204, 206, 208, 210, 212, 214, 216, 218, 220, 222, 224, 226, 228, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238, 240, 242, 244, 246, 248, 250, 252, 254, 256, 258, 260, 262, 264, 266, 268, 270, 272, 274, 276, 278, 280, 282, 284, 286, 288, 290, 292, 294, 296, 298, 300, 302, 304, 306, 308, 310, 312, 314, 316, 318, 320, 322, 324, 326, 328, 330, 332, 334, 336, 338, 340, 342, 344, 346, 348, 350, 352, 354, 356, 358, 360, 362, 364, 366, 368, 370, 372, 374, 376, 378, 380, 382, 384, 386, 388, 390, 392, 394, 396, 398, 400, 402, 404, 406, 408, 410, 412, 414, 416, 418, 420, 422, 424, 426, 428, 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ELECTION TUESDAY ON SCHOOL ISSUE

The election in this district to determine whether or not to accept a WPA offer of material and labor, and to authorize the school board to expend not to exceed \$2,000 of funds on hand as sponsor's share for the proposed addition to the school building, will be held next Tuesday in the school building between the hours of 7:00 and 9:00 P. M. Circular letters have been mailed to all voters asking them to be present and express their choice of whether or not to accept. As previously stated, this election is not to vote on bonds, but simply accept the WPA offer and to authorize the school board to spend money already in the treasury.

SVAN SCHOLIN IS DEAD
Relatives here received word Monday of the death of Svani Scholin which occurred that morning at the home of his daughter at Santa Barbara, Calif., where he went last fall to spend the winter.

Mr. Scholin was one of the pioneer settlers in Black River community and resided there most of the time since 1881. He is survived by a family of three daughters and five sons. A complete obituary will be published as soon as available.

The body will be brought here and funeral services will be held at Black River church Monday, April 13 at 2:00 P. M.

SPELLING CONTEST SATURDAY
Following elimination contests last week to select sectional winners, the annual county-wide rural school spelling contest will take place at Thief River Falls the coming Saturday. In connection with the above, a declamation contest also will be held. This is the first time the two events have been combined in this county.

WHITE TEAM WINS SERIES
This winter's whitest tournament ended with the season of Wednesday night last week. To that night the White and Orange teams each had five games to their credit. The final session, which also decided the championship for this winter, was won by the White team by a close score.

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OLD LANDMARK BURNED
The residence on the Rockstad farm, a short distance this side of Thief River, in the bend of the highway, was burned to the ground early yesterday morning. The place was occupied by the Gordon family that resided there for some years ago. The Rockstad farm house housed the postoffice of the same name in early days before Thief River Falls was established. While the house that burned was not the original homestead one, it stood on about the same location.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS
Regular meeting of the village council held Monday, April 6, at the president's office. Meeting called to order by the president, all members being present. On motion the following bills were allowed as read: Mrs. Irving milk, \$1.50; Mrs. Larson and M. J. Rambeck, police 11.00; Mrs. Larson and M. J. Rambeck, police 11.00; Mrs. Larson and M. J. Rambeck, police 11.00.

CONSTRUCTION WORK
On motion made and carried the following resolution pertaining to St. Hilaire cemetery was adopted to become effective June 1, 1959. (1) Any plot or lot that have been assigned to or reserved by private individuals, but are unused for, shall revert to the Village on above date.

(2) Any plots now partially occupied, on which only partial payment has been made, shall be assigned to purchaser only to extent of amount of payment made. (3) All persons now holding plots shall be notified in writing to sell or transfer their plots to the Village and again be included in the list of vacant space for sale.

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ELMER JOHNSON, Clerk
President.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week Told in Brief News Concerning People You Know

An infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Aker born Friday last Saturday evening.

Construction work was started this week on the new large addition to the high school at Thief River Falls.

Easter services will be conducted in all the local churches next Sunday. Plans to attend at least one of these services.

Ice is breaking up in the Red River at Grand Forks. So far there has been no breaking up or movement of ice in the Red Lake River.

John Ulrich of River town, ship southeast of here, plans to leave next week to spend the coming summer in the state of Washington.

Mrs. Pearl Simonson, who teaches at Deer River, came yesterday to spend her Easter vacation here with her father, Peter Simonson.

Meadow larks, another kind of spring, began arriving in this locality the first of the coming week. Robins have been here for ten days or more.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Twist moved their household effects this week to Thief River for storage. They are undecided as to future location, and may spend most of the coming season travelling.

Albert Anderson, long time resident of Black River township, has sold his farm to a party from near Wylie. Mr. Anderson is looking around for a new location and may decide to move to Thief River Falls.

Clarence Orr, former owner of the local telephone exchange, who operates a theatre business at Drayton, N. D., has bought an implement business in that city which he will operate in addition to his theatre business.

Brink & Berglund, local apiculturists, are planning to build a new extracting plant and storehouse this spring on the village property near the old roadway. They plan to make use of the fine artisanal well located on that ground.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Shreve and family moved to Fertile for a visit with Mr. Shreve's mother at Hurd. Upon returning home they were accompanied by Mrs. Ole Olofson of Hurd who visited with them until last evening.

A brick, cold northwest wind, accompanied by snow flurries all day yesterday, served to remind us that actual spring weather seldom comes in this section until after the tenth of April. There are exceptions, of course, but the date given holds good on an average over a period of years.

TEACHERS REHIBITED
By no action being taken in regard to teachers contracts by the school board at its regular meeting March 31st, all teachers were automatically retained as provided by the Laws of 1957. Miss Haugen, high school teacher in English, History and Commercial, has resigned her position.

CONSERVATION WEEK
APRIL 20-26
Minnesota Conservation Week has been set for the week beginning April 20 and ending April 26, in a proclamation signed last week by Governor Harold E. Stassen. The department of conservation will cooperate with all public agencies in the observation of the annual event.

Special emphasis will be placed in the traditional manner, upon tree planting on Arbor Day, but along with that all phases of conservation of our natural resources will be studied.

The conservation of soil and water is regarded as fundamental, and trees are indispensable in holding both. Trees and bushes, in turn, furnish shelter, cover, and food for wildlife, forming a cycle of interdependence as between the earth, plant, and animal life.

The Conservation Week proclamation states in part: "When much of the world is in turmoil and in fear of war and destruction, it is comforting to know that we may lend our efforts to constructive, peaceful endeavor: to a program of carefully planned use of our land and water, to reforestation, to planting trees, and to the preservation of wildlife."

Miss Grace Dabbs, instructor in the public schools at Moorhead, will spend her Easter vacation with her parents, Mrs. and Mr. M. L. Dabbs.

County Commissioner Paul Roy went Tuesday morning to Thief River Falls to preside at the regular monthly meeting of the board of county commissioners.

Chris Person, who usually spends the seedling season for farmers in this locality, is reported to have been in his field Monday. Others will follow the first of the coming week if milder weather sets in.

Ray Young and Robert Huff, who are now engaged in a specialty business at Crookston, were here last Sunday. They cover a wide territory selling washing machines, bottled gas equipment and stoves and radiators.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Graham and daughter left Saturday to visit with Mrs. Graham's relatives at Bertha during Easter vacation. Mr. Graham will spend the week attending Schoolman's Week at the state university.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bjerk of Fargo, spent last week-end and part of this week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bjerk, and also visited at the home of Mrs. Bjerk's mother, Mrs. Ida Knickson in River town.

N. E. Bode, who last spent the holidays with relatives in California, returned home Monday after visiting the Rio Grande country in Texas and viewing his real estate holdings there while enroute. He made the return trip with his brother, John Bode, former resident of Rockledge, who also had spent the winter in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Brink and son, Dewanna, returned Monday evening after having spent the winter at McAllen, Texas, and are now busy at getting their apiculture season.

While at McAllen they visited often with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Nelson, former residents of this place, who now reside in that city. They had a nice trip coming up, and stopped for a brief visit with relatives at Rochester, Minn.

MANY WITNESS THE SENIOR CLASS PLAY

The school auditorium was filled to overflowing last Friday evening when the senior class presented its annual play. The play was exceptionally well staged, and each member of the cast played his or her part to perfection which was to be expected as the same class, as juniors last year, gave at that time one of the best plays ever presented at the local school. Pleading musical selections were given between acts by groups of seniors and the Boys Chorus. The class and coach, Miss Haugen, are to be complimented on the success of the play which netted the largest gate receipt for a number of years. This will be used in the purchase of new activities to close of the school year.

GOPHERS INTERRUPT SERVICE

The local telephone company experienced considerable trouble this week when the farm lines west of town went dead for no apparent cause. After digging up a large section of the underground cable near the G. N. tracks, it was found pocket gophers had gnawed thru the protective lead covering of the cable permitting moisture to enter causing a short circuit. The company has had the same trouble two times before, each instance causing much trouble and not a little expense. It seems as if the gophering rodents like to test their teeth on the soft lead. The telephone folks agree there should be a law against it, but so far the only results have been a lot of tedious repair work and numerous complaints from patrons.

A young boy sustained severe burns on his face and neck when he was killed in a T. H. No. 69 east of here last Sunday.

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CUT WPA APPROPRIATION

Congress this week decided to slash fifty million dollars off the one hundred fifty million dollars additional appropriation asked by President Roosevelt to carry on WPA for this year. With curtailment of funds, announcement was made by administration officials that the present WPA staff would continue only until June 30th this year. It is quite probable a number of projects now being financed by WPA will be eliminated entirely.

AT THE Churches

Ev. Mission Covenant Church
Rev. N. Wilberg, Pastor
608 E. 1st Street, Thiel River Falls

Phone 357-J

Good Friday

11 A. M. Worship. "Crucified with Christ."

Easter Sunday

10 A. M. Easter services. "At Dawn" topic for meditation.

Special offering for Covenant Foreign Missions will be received.

This is the only service during the day.

10:45 A. M. Sunday School. There is still opportunity to enroll.

Classes for next 4 years to a 100 years!

Monday, April 10, 8 P. M. Quarterly business session of the church. Everyone urged to attend.

Thiel River Church—St. Hilaire

Welcome to our services.

11 A. M. Sunday school—Sundays.

St. Hilaire, N. L. Churches

St. L. Dahl, Pastor

Easter Sunday services:

Good Friday, 8:00 a. m., Communion services.

Churches 1 p. m., Communion services.

St. Hilaire 8 p. m., Communion services 8 a. m.

St. Paul, 8 a. m., American.

Sunday school 11 a. m., American.

Children's program at 3 p. m., Easter 10 a. m., Norway.

M. E. Church

Evangelical meetings twice a week. Subject for next Sunday evening will be "He is risen, what then?"

For "He is risen, what then?" and for Wednesday evening "He is risen."

A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to come.

Orange, C. C. Adkinson.

25 Years Ago

Knutte and Peter Koldstad left on an extended trip to Norway to visit their father, Andrew Koldstad, a former resident of this village.

Carl Steen and family moved to Thiel River Falls where he had bought an interest in a meat market.

J. P. Engstrom, owner of Section 36 in Sandstone, was cutting out lumber for a complete set of new farm buildings on his farm.

C. C. Elliot, the land man, came up from Iowa with a number of prospective land buyers in tow.

Attractive Tradehouse Important. The attractive tradehouse is located at the corner of 1st and 2nd streets, and is a very important business center.

Antiquity Begotten as Love Charm. Antiquity is regarded as a love charm, a step towards a perfecting against thieves and burglars.

EASTER

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LARS A. LOBERG DIED SATURDAY

Lars A. Loberg, one of the last remaining homestead settlers of this community, died Saturday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Rupert Swanson, where he and Mrs. Loberg resided during the winter months.

Infirmitas incident to old age were the cause of his demise. Mr. Loberg was born September 22nd, 1853 at Tromsø, Norway, and had reached the age of 86 years and six months at the time of his death.

His early years were spent in Norway. In 1875 he came to this country and was located at Menominee, Wis., and Willmar, Minn., before coming to St. Hilaire in 1880. He homesteaded here, and at one time was part owner of what is now the village township. His marriage to Maria Lund occurred November 28, 1882 at Grand Forks following which they established their home on the farm in Rockdales which is now occupied by their son, Arne. After enduring the trials and tribulations of pioneer life, and bringing their farm to a high state of cultivation, Mr. and Mrs. Loberg retired from active farming some years ago and moved to the present home on the east side of the river. Mr. and Mrs. Loberg celebrated the golden anniversary of their marriage in November, 1923.

Besides his wife, Mr. Loberg is survived by four sons and three daughters: Arne Loberg of this place; John and Elmer Loberg, in Idaho; Martin at Twin Valley; Mrs. Julia Swanson of this place; Mrs. Clara Eid of Gary, and Mrs. Mahel Shaskan of Aberdeen, S. D. Another daughter, Ragna, preceded her father in death some years ago. He also is survived by eight grandchildren, and by two brothers and one sister. The latter are Elias Loberg at Anoka, Ole Loberg at Willmar, and Mrs. Ingeborg Williams of Chisholm, Minn.

Many old friends were present at the funeral service which was conducted yesterday at the Norwegian Lutheran church with the Rev. M. L. Dahle officiating. Interment was made in the Lutheran cemetery north of the village.

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LICENSE DEADLINE PAST

On advice from Secretary of State Mike Hahn that his office has cleared all applications for 1939 license plates, warning was issued this week by Elden Rowe, chief officer of the Highway Patrol, that motorists still operating with 1938 license plates are now subject to arrest unless they can present valid reason for having failed to install the new plates.

SCHOOL ISSUE WINS IN ELECTION TUESDAY

The special election held Tuesday night to determine whether or not to accept a WPA plan of new and material, and to authorize the school board to expend not to exceed \$5,000 of funds on hand as sponsor's share, to build a physical training building on the school grounds, was carried by a vote of 135 to 10. Given authority to proceed, the school board will now consider various plans and make arrangements with view of getting the project under way by the coming summer. There are, however, a number of things to be done before actual construction can be started.

PTA MEETING FRIDAY
The April meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association will be held at the school building Friday evening this week when the following program will be given:

Comic Songs—Four Troubadours
Acclamation selection—Roy Solin
Selections—Rhythm Band
Remarks—PTA Health Activities
Spinning—Mrs. Eleanor Hansen
Spinning—Girls Glee Club

Directed by Miss Haggen
The program committee requests that each person attending shall bring a picture or advertisement that suggests some lesson in health. A prize will be given.

A number of 4-H Club members from this village and the surrounding country attended the annual 4-H Club banquet given yesterday at the high school. This event is sponsored yearly by the Civic and Commerce Association of Learns, S. D.

Miss Dorothy Gustafson returned Monday to her school duties at Bagley after having spent Easter vacation at home.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief, News Concerning People You Know

Attorney Theo. Quale of Thief River Falls attended to business affairs in the village Monday.

S. Berglund of Thief River Falls visited here Saturday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Margaret Volen.

Miss Hulda Olafson returned this week to her school teaching duties at Moorhead after spending Easter vacation at home.

The Luther League of the Swedish Lutheran church will meet Thursday evening, April 20, at the Frank Bothman home.

Albert Anderson of Black River, who recently sold his farm, plans to start erection soon of a new residence at Thief River Falls.

After having spent several weeks here with her father, and sisters, Mrs. Jessie Johnson leaves this week for her home at Leamns, S. D.

Ole Loberg, former resident of this place, came Tuesday from Willmar to be present at funeral services for his brother, Lars A. Loberg.

Ruth Brink and Doris Haglund, students at Concordia College, Moorhead, are spending Easter vacation here at their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Soderberg and children of Bemidji visited here Easter Sunday at the home of his mother, Mrs. Fred Soderberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Eid came Tuesday from Gary to be present at the funeral services for Mrs. Eid's father, Lars A. Loberg.

The Norwegian Lutheran Aid will be entertained at the church parlors Friday, April 14, by Messdames A. V. Jacobson, O. Haglund and H. L. Holmes.

After spending the winter months at Minneapolis, Warren, International Falls and Bagley towns, Mrs. S. Wilton returned here Wednesday to spend the summer.

John Loberg and Mrs. A. Faust of Minneapolis, Mrs. Anna Loberg of Anoka, and Mrs. L. Larson of De Pere, Wis., returned today to their respective homes after being here for the funeral of their uncle, Lars A. Loberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Shaskey returned for their home at Aberdeen, S. D., after being here to attend funeral services for Mrs. Shaskey's father, L. A. Loberg. On the trip home they were accompanied by Mrs. Josie Johnson who returned to her home at Leamns, S. D., after spending several weeks here with her father and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bjerk of Fargo spent Easter here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marjorie Black.

Melvin Nobre went last week to Pillsbury country in southern part of the state to attend to business matters.

Miss Norma Bucklin, who is employed at Hallock, came Sunday for a few days visit at the home of her aunt, Mrs. V. G. Brink.

Miss Laura Simonson of Minneapolis, came last week-end and spent Easter here with her father, Peter Simonson, and sister, Pearl.

After spending Easter here with her parents, Miss Grace Dahle has returned to her work as instructor in the high school at Marshall.

Kenneth McKercher has the stockyard scalehouse on truck ready to move out to his farm south of town where it will be used as a granary.

Mrs. R. E. Burke, who has spent the winter at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. H. Martz at Minneapolis, is expected here soon to spend the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweet and daughter returned Tuesday to their home at Moorhead after having spent a few days here at the home of Mrs. Sweet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Brink.

SCHOLIN RITES MONDAY

Funeral services were held Monday at the Black River Swedish Lutheran church for Sven Scholin, nephew of whose death at Santa Barbara, Calif., was made last week.

Mr. Scholin was born at Westman, Vastergotland, Sweden on November 18, 1882, and he was 56 years, 4 months and 17 days of age at the time of his demise. He was united in marriage to Johanna Jensen in Sweden on July 18, 1878, and they came to America in 1889 and resided for two years at Ashland, Wis., before coming to Black River community in 1891.

His wife preceded him in death March 25, 1920. Since then he has made his home with his children. In later years he resided with his daughter at Santa Barbara, where he spent his summer seasons. His last visit back to Minnesota was last summer.

Mr. Scholin is survived by three children and five sons who are: Mrs. Anna Peterson of Portland, Ore.; Mrs. Amanda Peterson of Santa Barbara, Calif.; Gust and Oscar Scholin at Artland, Canada; John, Victor and Victor Scholin and Mrs. Edith Johnson who all reside in the Black River community. He also is survived by 24 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

ORGANIZER BALL TEAM

At a meeting held recently it was decided to have a ball team again for the coming season. Starting this week a series of benefit dances will be given to raise funds for necessary equipment. It is quite likely the six or eight town leagues will be revived again, so fans can look forward to some interesting games the coming season.

MINNESOTA REGAINS FEDERAL AID O. K.

The U. S. Bureau of Public Roads has lifted the restriction against letting of federal aid highway construction contracts which were imposed several months ago because of the state Highway department's financial condition and criticized methods of procedure.

Notice of reinstatement of the department was received recently by M. J. Hoffman, highway commissioner. It followed close on the announcement last week by Commissioner Hoffman that \$1,625,000 cash deficiency existing January 1 had been cleared up and that \$2,025,000 worth of accounts payable had either been paid or funds set up for their payment if and when approved.

The federal Bureau's action nears the way for Minnesota to begin aside from federal funds during the coming construction season to the full extent of the Highway department's ability to match those funds with state money.

MOTHER DIES
Mrs. Geo. Biskay receiving a message Monday stating her mother, Mrs. Marjorie, had died at her home at Spokane, Wash.

The Marjorie family resided in St. Hilaire during several days, and left in 1907 to reside at Spokane where Mrs. Marjorie died many years ago.

A special meeting of the village council will have Monday night to discuss matters pertaining to a relief claim.

TRAIN-AUTO CRASH SOUTH OF PLUMMER

Three persons were killed and three others critically injured Monday when a Soo Line freight train crashed into a passenger auto on a crossing south of Plummer. The dead are Mrs. Walter Champagne, 32, her mother, Mrs. Peter Rasmussen, 55, and the former's niece, Jerusha Singer, age 1. The injured were three children of Mrs. Champagne, Clarence, 11; John, 8; and Jerome, 2. Driven by Mrs. Champagne, the car was seen to slow up as it approached the tracks, but it is believed faulty brakes prevented stopping the car until it crashed squarely across the tracks.

Caught on the pilot, the car was carried about 200 feet before the train could be brought to a stop. The three victims were thrown out of the car as it was carried along, and the bodies landed nearby. It was found necessary to pry the auto from the wreckage. All the dead and injured were residents of Plummer.

The children were taken to a hospital at Thief River Falls where they lie in a critical condition.

Mrs. Champagne is survived by her husband and three children aside from those involved in the crash. Mrs. Rasmussen is survived by her husband, and the Singer child by her father and a sister.

Haugen-Roland
Friends here received announcements this week of the marriage of Miss Agnes Haugen of this place, and Mrs. A. W. Haugen of St. Paul, to Mr. Roland of this village. The bride is a daughter of the local high school teaching staff, having taught here the past two years. At the close of the school year the young couple will establish their home here. Friends throughout the community join in wishing them lifelong happiness.

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THIEF AFTER MAN DIES AFTER FRACAS

Theodore Bergren, 47, whose home is near Maple street on Third River, died Sunday in a Third River hospital as a result of injuries received late Saturday night in a fracas at a Third River cafe. Alex Odo, 23, also from near Maple, struck the blow that resulted in Bergren's death. It is stated the two men became embroiled in an argument which led to blows. Bergren was knocked down, and in falling struck his head and neck against a counter and chair. Death was caused by a cerebral hemorrhage resulting from the blow.

At an inquest called Tuesday by Coroner C. M. Adkins, the jury found Bergren "dead to his death as the result of a blow administered by Alex Odo." The latter is being held in the county jail at Third River Falls to face a charge of manslaughter preferred yesterday by County Attorney Paul A. Lundgren.

DO DROP INN SOLD
In a deal completed last week, Chas. Twiss sold his Do Drop Inn sort drink parlor and dance pavilion to Wm. McManney of Odo who took over management of place Saturday morning. The new owner is assisted by his brother-in-law of Alvarado. Mr. McManney has had many years of successful experience in operating this type of business, and contemplates making many improvements on his property this season. The Spectator joins with others in bidding Mr. McManney welcome to the village and in wishing him success in his venture.

Mr. and Mrs. Twiss plan to spend most of the season traveling, and may later decide to locate in a western or southern state.

In Appreciation
I wish to express my many thanks to the Rocksbury dance for the beautiful plant given me. Your thoughts of kindness will always be remembered.
Mrs. Walter Aubrey

Ruth Brink and Doris Haglund have returned to their homes at Concordia College, Moorhead, after spending Easter vacations at their respective homes.

LEONARD HOUKSE IS DEAD

Funeral services were held Monday at Hlatstad for Leonard Houkse, 59, secretary of the Minnesota Creamery Operators and Managers who died Thursday night at St. Northland from the effects of a stroke suffered while enroute to this city after attending a meeting at Mason City, Iowa.

A native of Hlatstad, he had managed creameries at Ada, Idaho, Starbuck and Hlatstad. At one time he was state creamery inspector and field man for Land O'Lakes. Years ago he was connected with farmers' institute work, and visited here at different times. He is survived by his widow and three daughters.

SHOWER FOR BRIDE

Mrs. Clifford Schanzen and Mrs. Albert Nelson were hosts at a shower for the bride at the home of the former to a gathering of friends and neighbors in honor of Mrs. Ellen Mortenson, a bride of this week.

A very pleasant afternoon was spent at the home of a variety of fine gifts as well as hearty good wishes from all present at the shower.

Wm. Rinkenberger, who specializes in poultry and egg production, received a shipment of 700 Leghorn pullets chicks Saturday for his place southeast of here. These chicks are the finest quality stock from a high egg-producing strain, and the shipment came thru with very little loss.

Brink & Berglund, local apothecaries, are busy getting their bee hives ready for the spring season. They expect to receive about 600 hives this year.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Burkes of Moorhead, motored here Sunday for a visit at the home of Mrs. Burkes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olsen. They were accompanied here by Mr. Burkes' mother, Mrs. B. B. Burkes, who will spend the summer at the home in the village.

Money Saving Values---
Our prices are always low, considering values, but here are some exceptional money-saving values.

BROWN SYRUP	10 lb. pail	45c
NASH COFFEE	1 lb. glass	27c
BLUE PLUMS, No. 10 can		29c
BLACKBERRIES, No. 10 can		49c
MACARONI or SPAGHETTI	5 lb. can	29c
PRESERVES	2 lb. jar	21c
PINEAPPLE, No. 2 1/2 cans, each		18c
SALT	2 lb. cartons	7c
WHEAT PUFFS, 8-oz. cello bags		3 for 14c
COCOA	2 lb. can	39c
PEANUT BUTTER, Golden Valley	2 lb. jar	14c
PEPPER	1/2 lb. can	10c
SANDWICH SPREAD, pint jars		33c
OLIVES, quart jars, each		33c
MONARCH GRAPE JUICE, pints		14c
ROLLED OATS	3 lb. pkg.	14c
TOMATOES, PEAS or CORN	3 cans	25c
CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP, large bars	10 for	29c

We have a line of COVERT WORK SHIRTS priced from 45 cents to 85 cents for a sanforized, full cut shirt with zipper front. You must see to appreciate them.

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Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Mrs. Bridget Anderson of Hlatstad is the guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hlatstad.

Dr. D. S. Horn came Monday morning from Union and spent until Tuesday afternoon attending to his local dental practice.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Gulickson, former residents of the village, were here Tuesday evening from Red Lake Falls to visit friends and former neighbors.

Nickle Dress installed a fine electric refrigerator at his place of business last week. The installation was made by the Northern States Power Company of Grand Forks.

The Norwegian Lutheran altar will be entertained at the church parson Friday, April 21, by Messadams A. V. Jacobson, O. Haglund and H. L. Holmes. Please bring Mission boxes.

Members of the Redwood Inn bowling team were at Thief River last Saturday night to attend a banquet given by and for the different bowling teams that had played together the past winter season.

When O. R. Sande and family returned Monday to their home at Minneapolis, they were accompanied by his brother, Henry I. Sande, who will spend a week of so attending to local business affairs in the Twin Cities.

A light flurry of snow—just enough to cover the ground—fell here Sunday night. During the fore part of this week, the southern part of the state had varying falls from two to four inches and more. In the Twin Cities traffic was hampered by the snow. Iowa, Kansas, Wisconsin and parts of Michigan also had snow this week.

Mrs. Lars A. Lohberg left Sunday to visit at the home of her son, Martin at Twin Valley, and at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Eld at Gary before going to Aberdeen, S. D., to spend the summer at the home of her son, Mr. Mabel Shaukey. She was accompanied by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ingeborg Williams, who will visit briefly at Twin Valley and Gary before returning to her home at Chisholm after being here for the funeral of her brother, Lars A. Lohberg.

Mrs. Fred Eiskay was hostess last Saturday evening at a party given at a bride shower in honor of Mrs. Fred Eiskay whose marriage occurred recently. The evening was spent in a social way, followed by a lunch served by the capable hands of the bride's guests. The occasion was a most pleasant presentation of many useful gifts in addition to congratulations and good wishes by her friends.

Mrs. and Mrs. Dobson, who have resided in the King house for a few years, have moved into the Lohberg residence on Walnut street.

Harry Huff, who is now located at Thief River Falls, was here Sunday with a party of friends for a visit with his brother, Chas. Huff.

Gust Peterson motored down Sunday from Warren for a visit at the H. A. Olsen home. He had spent the previous week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olsen.

Arrie Vik went to Thief River recently to receive treatment at St. Luke's hospital. Mr. Vik has not enjoyed his usual good health since last fall. Friends in the community hope for his speedy recovery.

A partial eclipse of the sun was visible in this section of the country yesterday morning. About a quarter of the sun's surface was obscured at the height of the eclipse which started at about 10:00 and continued for an hour.

Due to heavy rains and melting snow, there is again danger of a flood along the Ohio and Mississippi rivers. The Red Cross was called on this week to help evacuate people from the lowlands along both rivers where water is rapidly reaching flood stage.

Ice in the river is starting to honeycomb and break open in spots. Although it appears solid as ever, the ice is unstable and one should venture out on it because of low water stage in the river this spring, ice is not likely to move out but will melt where it is in the channel.

LAW MAJORS RETURN

The 1938 law graduates of the Minnesota legislature which started its labors early in January, ended yesterday afternoon. Many bills of unusual importance to Minnesota were considered, ironed out to meet different views and passed at this session. The program as outlined by Governor or Stassen was passed almost in its entirety. In another week or ten days, newspaper supplements containing all laws passed during the 1939 session will be distributed by the newspapers of the state thus giving the people concise information about any legislation in which they may be interested.

Sande-Mortenson. In the presence of about forty relatives and close friends of the contracting parties, Miss Marie Lucille Sande, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry I. Sande, became the bride of John Mortenson, son of John Mortenson, at a pretty home wedding at the home of the bride's parents in this village last Sunday afternoon at 8 o'clock. Rev. M. L. Dahl, pastor of the Norwegian Lutheran church performed the ceremony. Young couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Kirwin Kiniska of Crookston.

For the ceremony the bride was attired in a dark blue gown trimmed in pink, and carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses. The bridesmaid wore a powder blue dress, with a corsage of pink sweet peas. Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served to 85 guests at the Sande home.

Out-of-town relatives and friends present included Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Sande and son; Mr. and Mrs. John Sande and family; and Mrs. Cora B. Sande of Minneapolis, and Mr. and Mrs. Kirwin Kiniska of Crookston.

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The creamery, organized and built by the people of this community because they saw a need for co-operative marketing of their farm products, can grow and prosper only in the same proportion as it is patronized by the people of the community. Work and boost for the creamery. The more you patronize it, the greater your profits will be.

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Save up to \$3.00 per hundred by placing your orders NOW for K. L. Miller quality baby chicks.

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Weekly News Analysis G.O.P. Frowns on Early Booms While Wooing Insurgent Dems

By Joseph W. La Bine

RECTOR ROSS, who has been a vocal critic of the G. O. P., and who has been a vocal critic of the G. O. P., and who has been a vocal critic of the G. O. P.

Politics
To stand a chance of winning 1940's presidential election, Republican's two biggest jobs for 1939 are (1) stopping any premature boom which might shake the party, and (2) to support from abroad the policy which they claim will insure the Democratic nomination for nothing more stable than the two big, but the G. O. P. is not to be outdone.

Candidates. Most favored insular nominees in 1940 are New York's Alfred E. Smith, Dewey, whose sensational "rhetoric" was in effect in various political moods by the realization

DATE BOOK

May 15—King George and Queen Elizabeth, with Prince Philip, will arrive in New York City for the first time in the United States.

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Bruch's Washington Digest Restore Jobs by Helping in Sale Of Products of Farm and Factory

That is Philosophy of Head of Export-Import Bank Which Is Doing Good Work in Financing Trade With America; Outstanding Commitments 229 Millions.

By WILLIAM BRUCHART
WNN Service, National Press Bldg., Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON—"I am supremely confident of one thing—we are making a dent in the job of getting back some of our foreign trade that was lost in other nations in the last few years. Nobody can say we are not doing it, but it is not the kind of thing that is usually done."

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Concentrate on Financing
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What? I asked Mr. Peterson. He replied by quoted as the introduction to the bank. He replied by quoted as the introduction to the bank.

To Make Large Profit
And important thing is the fact that in the current year, having an average of 100,000,000 in exports, the bank is making a large profit.

Collected Behind Notes
In Guarantee of Payment. The bank is collecting behind notes in guarantee of payment. The bank is collecting behind notes in guarantee of payment.

Take a Case like This
A South American country has a large number of cases like this. A South American country has a large number of cases like this.

New Play Dress and a Bolero Ensemble



Just see how much playfulness gives you. The bolero, slimmer play suit is perfect for summer sports. Wear the dress, too, and you'll have a charming little suit. Make this in linen, broadcloth, or silk. It's a real play suit.

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How Women in Their 40's Can Attract Men
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RECTOR TALK

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Caution Possibility of Democrat
To support for a Republican candidate started during last autumn's "gouge" and grew when President Roosevelt plumped for liberalism over conservatism.

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603 E. 1st St., Thief River Falls.

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10 A. M., Worship and Service.

Rv. Jacob Elvén, Guest.

Conference song, will preach.

Offering of the day will go to the Northwestern Mission.

10:45 A. M., Bible School.

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After the program, a delicious lunch was served. Mrs. Scholten was presented with a cash donation.

Sunday guests at the Eldon Erickson home were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Bergeson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Scholten and sons Oliver, Jr., and Iver, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Scholten and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larson and family of Argyle, Mrs. Lundberg and family, Mrs. Stephen, Doris Repelle, Mrs. Mrs. Joe Bedard and family of Red Lake Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Johnson and family, Mrs. Grand Forks and Mrs. James Barnett and family. In the evening the same group joined for a social at the home of Mrs. and Mrs. Edson Erickson.

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CHAS. A. LINDQUIST DIES AT CROOKSTON

Charles A. Lindquist, prominent Bay farmer and resident of this section for more than fifty years, died at 2:30 this morning at a Crookston hospital. He suffered a severe attack of influenza during the winter and had been in poor health since. Mr. Lindquist was born in Sweden on April 4th, 1837 and was 72 years of age.

During his years of residence in this section, he took active part in community affairs. He held various township and school district offices, and was county commissioner when this county was a part of Red Lake county. Well known through the entire community, Mr. Lindquist had a large number of friends who will be deeply grieved to learn of his death.

He is survived by his wife, four sons and three daughters. Another daughter preceded him in death some years ago. He also is survived by two sisters and three brothers.

Funeral arrangements were not completed at this writing while awaiting word from relatives at distant points, but the funeral will be held at the Black River Lutheran church of which the deceased had long been a member. A service will be given over the farm late in the afternoon as time for the funeral is set. A more extended obituary will be published next week.

NEW PLANT FOR RED LAKE

A new rendering plant to operate in connection with a dead animal service, will be erected at Red Lake Falls this summer. The plant, which will employ ten or more people, will be located at the old dairy site west of that city.

LOSE TO RED LAKE

Handicapped by absence of some of the regular players, and playing in hard luck when otherwise they would have counted, the local ball team took a 10 to 5 drubbing when they played Red Lake Falls here last Sunday. Bill Hallamack pitched during the fore part of the game, and Woodrow Almqvist finished the balance of the innings.

P.T.A. MEETING

FRIDAY EVENING

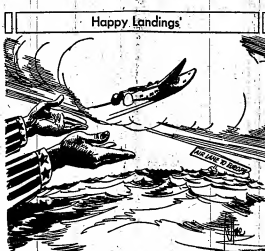
Final meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association for the present school year will be held Friday night this week when the following program will be given:

Talk on Thrift — Dr. Jacobson
Solo — Mrs. Hitterdal
Zola and Royal Owen
Humorous Pantomime — 4-H Club
Songs — Donald Schantzen, Alvin Carpenter, Maxine Nohe and Mrs. Schantzen.

SUMMER ROUNDUP

Arrangements are nearly completed for the Summer Round-Up to be held at the school house on May 24, at 1:30 P. M. Toots and vaccine have been secured that all pupils through the first four grades may be immunized and vaccinated as parents desire it.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Michalek and children, Morris and Lilly, motored here Sunday from Warren for a visit with Joe Michalek and W. McManaway at the Do Drop Inn.



Talks About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Mr. and Mrs. A. Satterberg returned Tuesday after a motor trip to Minneapolis.

Dr. D. S. Horn was here Monday and Tuesday from Ulen to attend to his dental practice.

Mrs. Robert Kirkwood was the guest of Dorothy Kirkwood at their River Falls on Mother's Day.

A three year old child was drowned Friday in the Red Lake river at Crookston when it fell while playing along the river bank.

Strawberries and early vegetables are coming in fast lately and are being sold at lower prices than usual for this time of the year.

The high school baseball team has made a whole of a start for this season. Last Friday they defeated Goodridge, and Wednesday took Olney into camp by a decisive score.

Attorney H. O. Chomille of Thief River Falls has been secured as speaker at the annual commencement exercises at the local high school this year.

Mrs. H. L. Holmes motored Thursday to Grand Forks. Mrs. Ruby Kirkwood accompanied her to Crookston to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kirwin Kinsella.

The pike and pickerel fishing season opened Monday. Many local fishermen are having fair success in getting both loach and pike in the river which has contained little or no fish life for some years past.

WILL OPEN MACHINE MART

A farm machinery dealer who has extensive operations in Iowa has made arrangements to open a branch at this place to handle various kinds of used machinery, and will probably add lines of new machinery later. The new firm has leased the Erickson garage building for a warehouse, and expects to have stock here soon.

GRASSHOPPER MEETING

About sixty farmers attended the grasshopper meeting last Friday evening in the court room, when T. Amund, H. L. Parton and Earl Prichard discussed control methods with them, states Howard S. Grove, county agent.

Mr. Amund discussed the present situation, as far as infestation is concerned, and attempts to control the insects to prevent damages to growing crops. He also discussed the new formula used in mixing back, which is the only way that the bait may be mixed when the state and federal government furnished the bait materials.

Mr. Parton discussed questions that were raised by the farmers. Mr. Prichard discussed the grasshopper survey which shows the infestation and also talked briefly about army worms.

Mr. Grove discussed the situation in the county at the present time and stated that all built for the county will be mixed at the central mixing station in Thief River Falls.

The chairman of each township is responsible for the control in his township. He may appoint as many men to assist in the control work as he sees fit.

Mr. Everett Johnson came down Wednesday from Alvarado for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Kinney, and to see her sister, Ellen, who has been quite ill this week.

Mrs. Carl Johnson and daughter, Eva, are expected to arrive soon from Austin to spend the summer at their home here which has been made ready for their occupancy.

OKLEY WILL PLAY

HERE NEXT SUNDAY

Baseball fans can be assured of a thrill next Sunday afternoon when the Olney ball team will be here for their first game with the locals for this season. Olney has always had a good bunch of sluggers, and have been near the top in league standings for some years. They are coming over Sunday with the intention of chalking up a victory. (The local team has been reinforced in spots, and Bill Hallamack will do the hon-ours on the mound, so fans will likely witness a close and fast contest.)

THE SUNDAY SUNDAY

The following Sunday the O.C. can team from Middle River will be here. This team will appear in St. Hilaire twice during the season.

SHEEP MEETING JUNE 6

An event of special interest to sheep raisers in Franklin County will be held in connection with the sheep meetings on June 6, announced Howard S. Grove, county agent.

Mr. S. B. Bartlett representing the Chicago Flexible Shaft Company will be in the county to give shearing demonstrations at both the forenoon and afternoon meetings. Mr. Bartlett is a professional shearer of fame and will be able to not only demonstrate shearing, but also the proper way to tie and handle wool. He will also discuss questions relating to these operations.

The meetings will be held at the Austin Johnson farm in Highland at 9:30 A. M. and at the Blackmore Farm in Rockbury at 2 P. M.

Mrs. Carl Johnson and daughter, Eva, are expected to arrive soon from Austin to spend the summer at their home here which has been made ready for their occupancy.

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PEANUT BUTTER, best quality	2 lbs.	25c
SWANS DOWN CAKE FLOUR, per pkg.	5 lbs.	20c
LEWIS LYE	3 cans for 22c	
CALUMET BAKING POWDER	1 lb. can	15c
QUAKER ROLLED OATS, regular size	16c	
CRISCO	3 lb. can	51c
SALT, per 10-lb. sack	15c	
MOLASSES	5 lb. pail	21c
SYRUP, brown	10 lb. pail	43c
CRACKERS, White, Soda	2 lbs.	12c
BLUE ROSE RICE	4 lbs.	21c
4M CLEANSER, Regular 25c	15c	
OXYDOL, large pkg.	20c	
SALAD DRESSING	1 qt. jar	18c
MARSHMALLOWS	1 lb. cello. bags	14c
BAKING CHOCOLATE, 1/2 lb. bar	5 for 15c	
TOILET SOAP, assorted bars	5 for 15c	
MACARONI or SPAGHETTI	5 lb. box	22c
CATSUP, 14-oz. bottle	09c	
PEACHES, Our Family, No. 2 1/2 can	14c	
ARGO CORN OR GLOSS STARCH	3 pkgs.	21c

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GRADUATION HERE THURSDAY, JUNE 1ST

Nineteenth annual commencement exercises at St. Hilaire high school will be held at the school auditorium next Thursday evening, June 1st. Attorney H. O. Chomille of Thief River Falls will deliver the commencement address. A fine program has been arranged to which the public is invited.

There are eighteen candidates for graduation this year who are: Margie L. Sjaavald, Irene P. Volden, Lester W. Swanson, Elizabeth R. Swanson, Conrad L. Swanson, Vincent W. Sarnio, Robert Rosendahl, Phyllis Prestby, Harvey Oleson, Ole Almqvist, Robert Gustaf, Robert Jensen, Gertel Jensen, Donald Johnson, Roderick Johnson, Elizabeth Johnson, Olive Aine Landman and Paula Nelson. The class of 1939 is the largest of any in recent years.

Olive Aine Landman and Lester Swanson, having the highest scholastic standing in the class, will give the valedictory and salutatory addresses, respectively.

Baccalaureate service will be held the coming Sunday evening, May 28, at the Norwegian Lutheran church. Rev. Chas. W. Erickson, pastor of the Augustana Lutheran church of Thief River Falls, will give the sermon.

ROYALTY AT WINNIPEG

Yesterday was a gala day at Winnipeg when that city celebrated the centennial of the British Empire Day in honor of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth. The celebration was marked by thousands of visitors from the border states joined in a royal welcome in the most colorful pageant ever staged in the Dominion City. Greetings to the royal couple were heard from Winnipeg and Manitoba, augmented by thousands of visitors from the border states joined in a royal welcome in the most colorful pageant ever staged in the Dominion City. Greetings to the royal couple were heard from Winnipeg and Manitoba, augmented by thousands of visitors from the border states joined in a royal welcome in the most colorful pageant ever staged in the Dominion City.

After visiting the western provinces of Canada, the royal party will return for a brief visit in the United States, and will attend the big fair in New York before returning home.

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Some folks
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 electrically... but
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 say they wouldn't
CHANGE
 for anything.



Memorial Day

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning You You Know

Another baseball club benefit game will be given Saturday night at the Do Drop Inn dance pavilion.

The St. Hilaire ball team has arranged for a game with the Winger team to be played in that village on Memorial Day.

The Norwegian Lutheran Aid will be entertained by Messrs. J. M. Stordahl of Arvick, James O. Olson, K. Dalsager and M. Highland at the church on Friday, June 2nd.

Among the out-of-town people attending the Chas. Lindquist funeral last Saturday was Mrs. T. M. Stordahl of Arvick, former resident of this village.

A travelling motion picture show outfit, showing under tent, will give a performance here Wednesday night on grounds near the Saterberg machinery building.

Members of the Senior class motored Friday to Bemidji to be entertained along with 1500 other Seniors of this section, at the Bemidji State Teachers who gave a series of well-attended tent shows here last fall, was one of the attractions.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hall of Albert Lea, accompanied by Miss Eva Johnson of Austin, motored here Sunday afternoon to prepare the Johnson home for occupancy. Tuesday morning Mrs. Carl Johnson and nurse came over the Soe to Thief River. Mrs. Johnson and Eva are now nicely settled in their home on Minnesota avenue.

After visiting with friends and former neighbors in the community, Mr. and Mrs. Hall returned Tuesday afternoon to their home at Austin.

Arne Vik is able to be about again after a stage of illness during which he was a patient at a Thief River hospital.

Light to moderate rain over the section Monday night and this morning, with more forecast for the latter part of the week, has resulted in a more optimistic outlook for farmers. Pastures which have shown little grass growth, have been revived, and late seeded grain will be materially benefited. It is believed also, that they have been saved from the drought and cool weather following will be of much help in the grasshopper control campaign.

PROSPECTS SEEN VERY BRIGHT AT PRESENT. That arrangements being made for building an addition to the school building, will go forward and construction work started possibly in July.

Only minor details need be ironed out before the project can get under way. Other improvements include a complete refitting of interior of the school building as part of the program for this year.

DAWSON PLAYERS HERE Dawson's Variety Players, who gave a series of well-attended tent shows here last fall, and then stored their equipment for the winter, came this week to get their show material in shape for the coming season. Responding to many requests, they will give one performance here Saturday evening, May 27. The big tent is being set up west of the Standard Oil station. From here the show goes to Newfonden.

DEFEAT OKLER 6-0 The local ball team secured its first victory of the 1939 season last Sunday when it defeated Okler on local grounds by a score of 6 to 0. Woodrow Almqvist on the mound for St. Hilaire, pitched a wonderful game, allowing no hits. Owing to the high wind prevailing, the day was not ideal for baseball. A fair sized crowd witnessed the contest.

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LINDQUIST RITES HELD

Funeral services for the late Chas. A. Lindquist, prominent Bray farmer, who died Thursday at a Crookston hospital, were held Saturday at the Black River Swedish Lutheran church with Rev. H. A. Larson officiating. Friends from far and near were present at the service. Chas. Lindquist was a native of Sweden and was united in marriage to Johanna Persson in February 1891. Since that time they resided on the farm in Bray township. He is survived by his wife, four sons and three daughters. The children are Ray and Carl at Minneapolis, Mrs. Wm. Strout (Olsen) at St. Paul, Mrs. Nellie Johnson (Nora) at Kennedy, Edith, Glenn and Clifford at home. His also is survived by seven grand children and by three brothers and two sisters, the latter being Oscar Lindquist at Crookston, Alfred and Gunnar Lindquist of this community; Mrs. Martin Erickson of Polk Center, and Mrs. Hanson of Tacoma, Wash.

Interment was in the family plot in the cemetery adjoining the Black River church.

A timber and grass fire which swept over some woodland at the Finstad farm last week, destroyed a large quantity of Thief River Falls which took part in hauled out of the woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Haugs, Jewel Hestved and Isabel Rosendahl were among those from here who went yesterday to Winnipeg to attend the big celebration occasioned by the visit of the British king and queen. The three ladies went as members of the American Legion drum corps of Thief River Falls which took part in the celebration.

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BALL GAME SUNDAY WITH CCC TEAM

Next Sunday the CCC baseball team from the camp at Thief Lake will meet the St. Hilaire team on local ground in what will likely be one of the most interesting games of this season. The CCC boys are picked from a group of over a hundred at the camp, and they have had considerable practice this year. They have put up stiff battles whenever they have played this year, so the contest next Sunday will undoubtedly be both close and interesting.

The CCC team plays all its games away from home because their grounds are located out in the country at the lake. They will play their second game here June 25th.

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 The creamery, organized and built by the people of this community because they saw a need for co-operative marketing of their farm products, can grow and prosper only in the same proportion as it is patronized by the people of the community. Work and boost for the creamery. The more you patronize it, the greater your profits will be.
St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery Association
 St. Hilaire, Minn.

WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON

NEW YORK—An estate lawyer newspaper woman, reporting on Dr. Herbert P. de la Cruz's death, asserted that his dream was to be a great doctor.

His Eyes Reflected—The soul of the doctor, it was said, was in the light of the sun. He was a man of great vision, and his eyes reflected the light of the sun.

Porter, Mind on a Young Girl—The doctor was a man of great vision, and his eyes reflected the light of the sun. He was a man of great vision, and his eyes reflected the light of the sun.

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PHILADELPHIA getting on in life are not to think in 7-time, as contrasted with our weekly 7-time, but of those who are currently in the 7-time.

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WHAT to EAT and WHY

C. Houston Gaudiss Describes the Role of Phosphorus in Nutrition; Tells Where to Obtain This Mineral

By C. HOUSTON GAUDISS

THERE are at least 11 different mineral salts which are essential to the structure or functioning of the human body. But of these, only four—calcium, phosphorus, iron and iodine—require the careful consideration of the home-maker. That is because diet which furnishes adequate amounts of these four will automatically provide the others. But when the diet is deficient in any one of these four minerals, disastrous consequences may result.

It is therefore of the utmost importance that every housewife should know something of their functions, and what foods supply them. In this article, we shall deal specifically with phosphorus.

Versatile Phosphorus It has been said that if the biographies of the elements could be written, that of phosphorus would be the most interesting. It is so because there are no other elements in which compounds are so numerous and so varied. It is so because it is so essential to the life of the body. It is so because it is so essential to the life of the body.

Needed for Teeth and Bones Its most significant role, however, is to form with calcium in giving rigidity to the bones and teeth. Approximately 20 per cent of the total phosphorus of the body and 90 per cent of the calcium are found in the bones and teeth.

Both these minerals are required in generous amounts, but almost twice as much phosphorus as calcium should be supplied every day. Moreover, children should have about one-and-a-half times as much phosphorus as adults, to meet the requirements for growth.

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Parental Co-Operation—Should Bear Fruit A school-teacher, after examining a child, found the following by the school nurse, wrote the following letter to the parents of a certain little boy:

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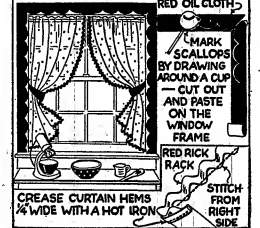
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AROUND the HOUSE

Items of Interest to the Housewife

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Wednesday, May 31st.

8 P. M., we continue our spe-

cial services every evening dur-

ing the second week beginning

Sunday, June 4th.

Final services 10 A. M. and

8 P. M. to be special singing.

Everyone is invited.

Black River Chapel

11 A. M.: Bible school each

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Final day for payment of

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were saddened by the death

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residents of this community who

passed away at a Crookston

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was survived by his wife, four

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LOCAL NEWS

M. R. Graham returned Tuesday evening from Wells, Minn., where he was called last week by the death of his mother.

Grace Erickson, student at Baker's Business College in Grand Forks spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Erickson.

Miss Alice Skotken left Monday for Seattle, Wash., where she will join her sister, Maria Skotken, who is a nurse in the Providence hospital. Together they will go to San Francisco to attend the World's Fair and visit at the home of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Regan in Monterey, Calif.

BRIEF

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Swanson and Dorothy, Alice Lindholm, returned from Minneapolis, Minn., where they were Monday evening visitors at George Swanson's.

Tuesday evening, supper guests at Gust Peterson's were Mrs. C. G. Hallgren and daughter, Mrs. Fred Lorenson and family of Thief River Falls and Mrs. Fred Lorenson and family of Thief River Falls and Mrs. Fred Lorenson and family of Thief River Falls.

A ball game was played between Bray and Norden Sunday in Bray, Norden won the game. Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Schall, Virgil visited at J. O. Swanson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmon Erickson, Clarence, Donald, Glen and Grace were motored to Argyle Thursday evening where they attended the graduation exercises at the city hall.

John O. Swanson, Carl Lindholm and Halvor Hanson and J. L. Magnuson of Thief River Falls left on Tuesday for a fishing trip at Red Lake Narrows, returning on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hanson and Gladys were Sunday afternoon visitors at Ted Anderson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Peterson spent Sunday visiting friends at Okla.

Charles Olson of St. Hilaire was an overnight guest at S. N. Olson's Friday evening.

The following attended a community club meeting at Gordon Friday evening: Agnes Scholl, Arlo and Elma, and Mr. and Mrs. Christ Peterson, Gladys, Marvin and Conrad, Inez, Manitz and Burton Scholl, Agnes Lindholm, Mrs. Carl, Clarence and Wilbert Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. George Swanson and family, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Schall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson and Lillian.

Sunday dinner guests at George Swanson were Mr. and Mrs. John Magnuson and family, Mrs. S. Knutson and daughter, Selma, of Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wiberg, Marvin and Conrad, Inez, Manitz and Burton Scholl, Agnes Lindholm, Mrs. Carl, Clarence and Wilbert and Mrs. Leroy Scholl visited there last evening.

Mrs. Emil Larson and Lillian and Bonnie Barnett visited at George Swanson's Wednesday afternoon.

Sunday supper guests at Elmer Erickson's were Mr. and Mrs. Edmon Erickson, Dennis and Vance Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Olson of Argyle, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Seve and family and Gundie Skotken.

Lowell Hawkins was a Friday afternoon caller at O. E. Seve's.

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HOPPERS ARE NOW DAMAGING CROPS IN SEVERAL AREAS

Grasshopper control is becoming more important every day as the hoppers are still hatching. In parts of the country, the hoppers are now hatching in the dunes, Corn to Agent Howard Goss said last week. The hatching of grasshoppers has started in nearly all of the surrounding country. It is just start and more farmers will be spreading Hoppers. It is just start and more farmers will be spreading Hoppers.

It is available at the present time, and more materials have been ordered. The crew which has been kept in a small supply about, but the force is being increased from twelve to twenty men.

Several mechanical spreaders have been made and are in use in the country. These spreaders are very successful. They spread the salt faster, more uniformly, and with less waste than when the salt is applied by hand.

In spreading the salt, farmers must be careful that the salt contains arsenic, which is one of the most deadly poisons known. It is very important that the salt be of the best quality.

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MARSHALL COUNTY CREAMERY PICNIC SLATED ON SUNDAY

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TRUNK HIGHWAYS TO BE SURFACED

M. J. Hoffman, state highway commissioner, this week launched what from the standpoint of mileage, is one of the most sweeping single maintenance programs of trunk highway surface improvements in the history of the Minnesota Department of Highways.

Preparations have been completed, he disclosed, for the immediate bituminous surfacing or resurfacing of more than 2,400 miles of state trunk routes which will include virtually every county in the state.

Last spring a combination of climatic conditions caused the most devastating frost soil epidemic ever experienced. The undertaking of the vast program outlined in the Highway department's answer to the unusual spring breakup problem.

Work is already under way and will be rushed to earliest possible completion to repair the damage done and to place the state's vast mileage of unpaved roads in better driving condition for the peak of the summer travel and tourist season.

Among the projects is 147.2 miles on T. H. No. 32 between Red Lake Falls and Greenbush. Two large scarifying machines and two huge graders are now at work on the road from north end of this village and extending north to Thief River Falls where the highway has been in very poor condition all spring. The job here does not call for any new construction at the present time, but is simply to put the road in good driving condition.

Mrs. R. Wallen of Minneapolis visited for a short time Saturday here at the home of her sister, Mrs. Hilda Giststad, and other relatives. She had accompanied a party of friends from Minneapolis to Detroit Lakes to attend a funeral. As others in the party were going to points farther west, Mrs. Wallen accompanied them to this village.

Andrew Norman and his mother, Mrs. John Norman, motored Friday to Bemidji to attend a meeting of Vesterboten people from all sections of the Northwest. They returned home Sunday.

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OWN RITES HELD FRIDAY

Impressive funeral services were held Friday afternoon at Thief River Falls for Hannus Oen, pioneer merchant and president of the Oen Mercantile Company of that city. All business places at Thief River Falls were closed during hours of the funeral as a special mark of respect to Mr. Oen who had taken so small part in development of the city wherein he first started in business in 1889. In the death of Mr. Oen, Thief River Falls lost one of its best loved citizens.

Residents who have trimmed trees overhanging the walks in front of their places are to be commended for their thoughtfulness. All trees should be trimmed to a height of not less than seven feet so pedestrians may use the walks without having their hats and glasses swept off by low-hanging branches.

Clarence Hansen, Carl Peterson, Herman Sandberg, Hildmar Peterson, Wm. Palmquist, Earl Peterson, Johnny H. A. T. Henry Sandberg and Clarence Rose enjoyed a fishing trip Lake Andrews and Cass Lake last weekend. They hired a boat and were away two days. Reuben and Ray Olson of Fort Francis joined them at Bemidji and accompanied them. All got their limits of big ones. Clarence Hansen hooked the prize fish, one weighing eight pounds.

Rev. John Brekke of Seattle, Wash., visited a couple days this week at the home of Mrs. Brekke's mother, Mrs. John Norman. He had attended a church conference at Pergus Falls, and returned home from there. Rev. Brekke states conditions are not very good in the coast country this year owing to a large amount of labor trouble.

NEW FANGLED BIRD BOGS
Eagle Bogs—You have no doubt seen many states about eggs, large ones and small ones, but how about a egg story recently? Mrs. Wendie of Eagle Bend is sitting at a local store. The next morning she started to fry eggs but upon checking the shell of one, was surprised when no egg at all. Upon investigation she found that the egg was hollow and had hatched at that time. The question is, whose hens are laying half hatched eggs?

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Giststad of St. Paul, Mrs. A. Edstrom of Farmington left Sunday for their homes after spending a week here with Mrs. Hilda Giststad. Miss Hilda Giststad accompanied them to Minneapolis where she will be employed for the next four weeks at the state university.

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Father's Day



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief, News Concerning People You Know

Owing to cold weather, the band concert scheduled for last Saturday evening was postponed until a later date.

To Creamery Patron—Frost and continuing during the summer months, cream will be taken daily at St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery.

M. R. Graham and Richard Larson returned yesterday afternoon at St. Paul a couple days attending to business affairs in connection with the local school.

L. F. Olson, manager of the creamery, has bought the Lena Hallstrom residence in Water street which property he and Mrs. Olson occupied until last fall.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Gustafson motored Sunday to Maple Lake and spent the day with Mrs. Anna L. Patterson, Mabel and Donald Patterson, who are spending the summer there at their cottage.

Mrs. A. C. Strom of Melrose, accompanied by a daughter and two sons, and her sister, Mrs. Otto Sayre and daughter of Superior, Wis., motored here Saturday afternoon for a visit at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Carl Johnson.

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Mrs. Mildred Elmar of Red Lake Falls is here this week to visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Janson.

The Helping Hand Club will give an ice cream social Thursday evening, June 22, at the John Larson home. Everybody welcome.

Ruth Brink and Dora Haglund, who have attended Concordia College, Moorhead, the past year, are home to spend their summer vacations.

Brink & Berglund have had a crew at work this week building a foundation and excavating a basement for their new home extending plans. They will also rebuild and expand their drive manufacturing plant, this season.

HIGHWAY 11 NAVIGATOR
TAKES NO CHANCES
Bellevue, Wis.—This is from the filling station operators—what Highway 11 gets past the town of Ireland are like a North Dakota prairie in comparison. Standing into "Mr. Warren's gasoline" one night during the recent rainy spell about a delirious, undisciplined crowd from Kansas way. It had just completed the Wisconsin border, in wet times one of the most perilous facts known to inland navigation. "I'll be up," stated the driver to Harry Bock, attendant, leaving his party built out from behind his wheel. Now Harry has seen many a queer looking stranger in his years at the gasoline nozzle—but his jaw dropped when this Kansas traveler stepped out. On his face he wore a look of supreme disgust—and under his middle, a full-sized moon-glowing like Jodel "O. S. Doc, you can take it off now," sang one of his more cheerful passengers, "We're on concrete."

Send Cass Photos to Stock through the best kind of folder, the record grows, or someone, it takes by points to stick. Analyzed, the upshots are found to be rich in Private Jell.

COMBAT HOPPERS

The fact that 600 farmers attended grasshopper control meetings in Pennington county during the past two weeks is evidence that the hoppers are more than threatening stalks.

The infestation is spotted. Some fields are literally alive with hoppers and others have but very few. Perhaps in the fields where there are not many hoppers at this time, the hatching is not as advanced as in other fields.

On Tuesday salt is being applied and mixed. Ample supplies of salt material are on hand with the exception of sawt. Sawt is being shipped as fast as the orders can be filled. Some sawt is being trucked in to supplement the salt shipments.

On Tuesday of this week a double shift of men to mix salt was started. The crew of 20 men will attempt to keep up with the orders. However, they may not be able to do so as approximately forty tons of salt were released to farmers on Monday. Previous to that the largest output was 37 tons on June 9.

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ANNUAL 4-H PICNIC AT SMILEY SUNDAY

The annual 4-H club picnic will be held at Smiley Hall on Sunday, June 18. A complete program of sports will keep the members busy from one o'clock to five, at which time a picnic lunch will be enjoyed by all.

The 4-H club picnic is scheduled for the 4-H club league for June 18, will be played at the picnic. The schedule for the day is:
Hilshandling vs. Marie 1:30 P. M.
Northland vs. Steiner 1:30 P. M.
Star vs. Gray & Folk Centre 2:00 P. M.
St. Hilaire vs. Norden 3:00 P. M.
Hases for the younger members are scheduled for the afternoon.

Club members are asked to bring sandwiches and one other item for lunch, as well as their own dishes.
The committees working on the picnic are: Arrangements, Lois Jones, H. A. Dahlin, Mrs. Verna Mahler, Mrs. Howard Christoffersen, and Mrs. J. W. Janda. Lunch: Marilyn Roper, Bernice Halvorson, Mrs. S. O. Prestegard, and Mrs. Axel Engstad.

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HUSKIES.....	2 pks. for 15c
PUFFED WHEAT, 8-oz. bags.....	3c for 22c
ARGO CORN or GLOSS STARCH.....	2 for 15c
BLACK PEPPER, half pound.....	3c
MIRACLE WHIP DRESSING.....	3c
PEANUT BUTTER, First Quality.....	2 lbs. 23c
PLUMS, No. 10 cans, each.....	29c
APRICOTS or BLACKBERRIES, No. 10 cans.....	45c
CORN MEAL or GRAHAM.....	10 lb. bag 29c
DES ARTS COFFEE.....	1 lb. glass 25c
PEABERRY COFFEE.....	3 lbs. 39c
BROWN SYRUP.....	10 lb. pail 45c

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Side Pork.....17c T-Bone.....23c
Salt Pork.....15c Tenderized Beef.....25c

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SAFETY LINES MARK 'NO PASSING' ZONES

New white lines, "life lines" of highways, are now making their appearance on the hard surfaced routes of the Minnesota state highway system. This year's center-line marking by the State Highway Department, now well under way except on sections where surface repair or improvement work is to be done, utilizes a new method for indicating "no passing" zones, as a part of the department's growing safety activities.

The new white line will be placed at such places on highways as curves and hillcrests, where overtaking and passing another vehicle cannot be permitted because of the hazard.

The new method consists of white lines placed adjacent to the normal center line. When the white line is on the driver's side of the center line, the motorist is not permitted to cross that line. However, if the white line is on the opposite or left hand side of the center line, the road is clear and visible for a sufficient distance ahead, the center line may be crossed in overtaking a vehicle ahead.

This system of marking "no passing" zones being adopted throughout the United States is a uniform, standard method. It is believed to be so simple that the driving public will have little or no difficulty in understanding it, as the driver will remember only one thing—he cannot pass if a white line lies on his side of the center line.

FERTILE ATTORNEY, 85

FATHER OF FIFTEEN CHILD
At 85, Henry L. Gaylord, Fertile attorney, is the father of a household, his eighteenth child. Mr. Gaylord, 40, his third wife, has given birth to seven of his 15 living children. Gaylord has lived in Fertile more than 60 years.

A fairly heavy rain starting this morning, and which apparently fell over a wide area, will delay haying for a time. Much alfalfa has been cut. A shortage of help is a handicap being encountered by many farmers in their haying operations.

Harvey Hansen was here yesterday from Thief River Falls for a visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Walter Olson.

After having a severe spell of illness Saturday, Mrs. Elmer Johnson has so far recovered that she is able to be up again.

USED MACHINERY
Expect another lot of used farm machinery this week. Out-of-price before buying any farm machinery. REINERSON IMPLEMENT CO.
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LOSE TO CAMP TEAM
The local ball team took the short end of a 3 to 2 score when they met the CCC camp team from Thief Lake on local ground last Sunday afternoon. Although on the mound for St. Hilaire, pitched a dandy game, holding the visitors to a few scratch hits. But for two rather dubious decisions, the score should have been 4 to 3 in favor of the local boys. Next Sunday the team goes to Pummer for its first game with that team on this season's league schedule.

MRS. AMELIA DAHL IS DEAD

Mrs. Amelia Dahl, age 87, died Tuesday morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mike Hignald, after a prolonged illness. Subject to sudden spells of illness, she was taken ill about ten days ago and gradually grew worse until death released her suffering old lady.

Mrs. Dahl, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Sven Benson, longtime residents here, was born at the former home in Haskard where she grew up and attended school. In 1904 she was united in marriage to James E. Collins at Brute, Mont. They made their home at Brute, where until his accidental death in October, 1911, in December that year she and infant son returned here to make their home with her parents. On March 18, 1916 she was united in marriage to Noll Dahl of this village who preceded her in death the winter of 1934. Since that time Mrs. Dahl made her home in this village with her son, J. Robert Collins. A pleasant, cheerful woman, despite many adversities and long illness, Mrs. Dahl was highly esteemed by everyone, and will be sadly missed in the community.

Deceased is survived by her son, James Robert Collins, and by four sisters and three brothers. The latter are Mrs. A. M. Olson and Mrs. Severin Agrevald of Haskard; Mrs. M. Hignald of this village; Mrs. P. J. Smith and Alfred Benson of Chicago; Eugene and Theodore Benson of St. Paul. She is also survived by one grandson, Her parents, one brother, one sister and an infant daughter preceded her in death.

Rev. M. L. Dahle will officiate at a brief service at the Hignald home at 1:40 and at the funeral service to be held at the Norwegian Lutheran church at 2:00 Friday. Interment will be in the N. Dahl burial plot in the cemetery south of the village adjoining the Benson farm where the deceased resided for many years. With possible exception of those residing in Chicago, all members of the Benson family are expected here for the funeral.

When spending the past winter in southern states Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Kies came Monday from their home at Chicago to spend the summer here with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hansen.



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Wm. McManney returned Friday after having spent a few days at his former home at Oslo.

Another old time dance was given last night at the De Drop Inn. A large crowd was in attendance.

Ed. Engh is improving his place of residence, the N. A. Nelson house, by application of coat of paint.

A good sized crowd attended the 4-H Club ice cream social Tuesday evening in the town at the Lutheran residence.

The N. L. Dahle Aid will be maintained by Mrs. Givstad, Mrs. Burke and Mrs. M. Dahle at the church parlors, Friday, July 14th.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Brink and son, Wayne, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hallstrom left Sunday on a fishing trip in the vicinity of Bemidji and Cass Lake.

Some repairs on the feed mill department at the local Matheson Co. elevator is being made. The coal chafe adjoining the elevator also are to be repaired.

Hilding Bergh of Brakine, accompanied by Mrs. E. Bergh, motored here Tuesday evening for a visit at the Hignald home. The former returned home the same day while Mrs. Bergh stayed for a longer visit.

Peder Rose of Poston, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. Morberg and daughter and Miss Hilja Halla, motored here Sunday afternoon for a brief visit at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Carl Johnson. On their return, they were accompanied by Mrs. J. A. Hedlund who had been a guest at the home of their aunt, since Friday.

FARMERS UNION PICNIC

The Farmers Union will hold its annual statewide picnic Sunday, July 2nd, at Itasca State Park. Speakers will be Hon. John Vessby, President, National Farmers Union from Kansas; Hon. Emil Loris, National Board member of South Dakota; Governor Harold E. Stassen, who was originally slated to speak, has been unavoidably detained elsewhere, but will send a representative. A good program has been arranged, and everybody is cordially invited to attend.

The voters of Dist. 138-2 decided by a unanimous vote of 46 to 0 to keep the school closed this coming year, sending the pupils to town, after trying out the past year. Paul Thyssen was selected as director for the next 3 years.

John Schelin has commenced work on his contract for laying basement floors in all the Haskard houses built in this area. Martin Hallstrom will furnish and haul some 1,000 yards of gravel needed to complete the contract.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Olson and son of Chicago, came Saturday for a few days visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Olson. Harvey has been employed for several years in the Sears, Roebuck & Co. store at Chicago.

All grain, tame and wild crops, gardens and foliage on trees have shown a remarkable growth the past week. While grain crops may not equal some of previous years, the outlook is very good right now especially in the territory east of the river.

Mr. and Mrs. Lister Olson have moved into their newly acquired residence, the former Lena Hallstrom house on Water street.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Schenck and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sande, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Morrison and Roland Sande motored Saturday to Nevis to visit with friends and to try their luck at fishing. They returned Monday.

Mr. Mary Sherva returned home Tuesday after being at the Seeland home at Hazel since last fall. She suffered a badly bruised hip in a fall at Hazel last year, and had been confined to bed most of the time after the mishap.

There will be no observance of the Fourth in St. Hilaire this year. The ball team plans to go to Pummer for the day, and no doubt many ball fans will accompany it. The creamery, postoffice and rural routes will observe the holiday.

Because of frequent rains, spreading of grasshopper ball has not proven very successful in this area thus far this season. Likely too, because of weather conditions, no serious damage to grains by the hoppers has been reported.

HOME OWNERSHIP GAINS IN VILLAGE

During the past two or three years, at least twenty parcels of residential and business places in this village, formerly owned by non-residents and maintained for rental purposes, have passed into hands of actual residents. During the same time, a few undesirable places have been taken down. With numerous requests for houses to rent, which cannot be filled, it appears quite likely some new construction will be started to meet an increasing demand for more housing. Low priced low taxes and bond of good water have induced many of the families to locate here this year and unless all signs fail, a steady growth can be expected.

WILL HARVEST JUNE GRASS

The Tobin Seed Company of Kansas City, Mo., has had a representative here the past week to survey the territory with intention of buying and stripping June grass. The company has operated extensively in the vicinity of Twin Valley and Gary for the past six or seven years, and has a curing yard in Twin Valley. Considerable acreage has already been contracted for in this locality, and a large number of stripping machines are to be brought in this week. The new industry will not only provide employment for many people, but will be a source of revenue to farmers who have June grass on their farms.

GIVEN WRITING GRANT

The Rural Electrification Administration this week announced a special grant of \$5,000.00 to the Red Lake County Co-operative Association to be used in writing buildings of subscribers. The project previously has been granted \$25,000.00 to build 221 miles of line to serve 628 members in Red Lake, Pennington and Marshall Counties. Because the sum named will be released, no new actual construction work started until a satisfactory source of power is found and a contract for electrical energy is made that meets with approval of REA.

June Grass Seed Wanted

We will buy and strip June grass seed in vicinity of St. Hilaire this year. If you have June grass, leave word at the Spectator office.

THE TOBIN SEED COMPANY

JUNE GRASS STRIPPERS
Kansas City, Missouri

Your Creamery

The creamery, organized and built by the people of this community because they saw a need for co-operative marketing of their farm products, can grow and prosper only in the same proportion as it is patronized by the people of the community. Work and boost for the creamery. The more you patronize it, the greater your profits will be.

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WHO'S
NEWS
THIS
WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON

NEW YORK.—If the king and queen had talked with Lawrence Tibbett, after they sang for them at the White House when they visited Tibbett's *Princess* our capital, they might have been pleasantly surprised that he had dropped in on the American of authentic British tradition and not a personation without a past. In the California badlands, when Lawrence Tibbett was 7 years old, his father, a deputy sheriff, cornered the bandit, wild Jim McGinnis, in a Chinon joint house in Bakerfield. At that time, McGinnis rushed Billy the Kid, previously the leading bad man in those parts, shooting him dead in those parts. Shooting him dead, he killed Tibbett. Tibbett's brother, Bert, then sheriff of Bakerfield, stepped in in time to land a load of buckshot between the bandit's eyes.

Just the other day, Lawrence Tibbett's brother Bert gave him the shotgun which had dropped McGinnis. The boy had a hard scramble, getting an arrow through and helping support his widowed mother amid long-lashed speaking in the manner of the house of Windsor—Bert's mother is a decidedly non-American. Tibbett is the first American singer to gain fame without European training.

Betty Lee Tibbett, his sister, taught him his first song, and he went to play the piano, Joseph Dupuy, the southern California tenor, was

Takes an "I" his first professional teacher.

And Luck Does He knew he had a *Happy Turn* in a voice, but was determined to be a Shakespearean actor. However, he was a singer when in Los Angeles, and he began studying with Frank LaRue in New York. On January 5, 1925, he stole the show from Scotti, in Verdi's "Falstaff." The record shows one score for the surrogator. La Rue won't go good will be added another "I" to his name—it is property Tibbett.

There's still another touch of quaint Americana in Mr. Tibbett's story. Whenever he has a headache, he walks around on his hands. He says that since the blood out of his head and stops the pain. Many a time, just before he was to sing a specialty evening, he had a headache. The metropolitan can have seen him of state, running about upside down. Our reception to the king and queen was necessarily postponed, but they would have learned much of interest if they could have observed in Tibbett's like good King Alfred who burned the cakes.

THE Duke of Windsor gave the pair of officials for marrying him and the duchess sent him a place of *Justine* that her wedding cake.

That was about *Walk-Of-Part* for the just return of the little w.

History's Stage for the little w. of his official superior. As the captain and the king direct, he broke in Hollywood, which, some people say, is worse than being broke in Death Valley. Those who think that they had a cigarette at great expense protected the plump, unadorned little prince in to history, along with the parish priest, must up in Deposition, to set up the "Spanish Cardinal" and see whether theophanes wrangling ever after.

Some forgotten was the Rev. Mr. Justice. His lecture tour in this country was a failure. He found his audience mysteriously decreased. His new says, "Wig-out" and something else, his wife and he had a hard time when people were in the street.

He found that America has a lot of promises, not of principle.

He was a low-church, Evangelical pastor in Davidson, county of Durham, working in the church and appealing for better conditions for the Welsh alfalfa, known as "the poor man's mutton." He was King Edward's sympathetic reference to the end of the theophanes that claimed his royalty, even to the extent of sacrificing the living of \$2,000 a year. He had hoped to gain a living by lecturing in this country.

"People seem to shun me," he says. "I can't quite understand it." He is a rather bewildered, honest little man. He was the duke a satirist congratulating him on his new year's speech, but got no reply. However, he has no regrets. He believes it was clearly his duty to perform the wedding ceremonies.

"It had to be done all over again, I'd do it," he says.

(Continued Exchanges—WNY Service)

PATTERN DEPARTMENT



Loose sleeves always look so pretty and set so cool. In this, a georgette or chiffon, this will be your favorite for afternoon parties.

The Patterns.

No. 7193 is designed for sizes 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30 and 32. It requires 2 1/2 yards of 36 inch fabric for short-sleeved jacket; 3 1/2 yards for long sleeves. A price 18 inches wide by 1 1/2 inch long for dress skirt.

No. 7192 is designed for sizes 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30 and 32. It requires 4 1/2 yards of 36 inch fabric without two and 3 1/2 yards of lace or braid.

Circle Pattern Dept., Room 1224, 211 W. Wacker Dr., Chicago, Ill. Price of patterns, 15 cts. (not in cash).

Overhaul your new line 1926. In getting a fitted, broad-shouldered, long-sleeved, button-down envelope bag, will make a simple and white skirt. They to make. Choose linen, glencheck, pique or chambray for this smart design, which reproduces the style of aggressive ready-to-wear.

New Steadfast Fashion. A large woman who went a soft, pretty afternoon dress will find 7193 another of its kind. It is decidedly new and smart. The pattern has a wide, contrasting collar flare, is modestly high over the bust because it's gathered under the smooth shoulders.

Betty Ross' Flag

The design of the first American flag was adopted by the Continental Congress on June 14, 1777. That she made the first flag after that of the British.

There are others of similar design, said to have been made by Betsy Ross, Philadelphia, said to have been Betsy's home and the place where she made her flag, is carefully preserved for the nation, though the district around it has long since been given over to warehouses and brick buildings. The cottage is maintained as a flag museum.

Items of Interest to the Housewife

Gambades.—A true gambade supplies flavor and appeals to the eye. Serve slices of lemon with fish, slices of lemon or orange with beef, chopped parsley as a garnish for omelets, potatoes, rice or macaroni and green pepper or plumetted effort on the top of potato salad.

When Mirrors Become Stained.—Make a paste of fine whiting and methylated spirit. Rub it over the mirror and leave to dry; then clean the mirror in the ordinary way.

To Make Meat Tender.—Meat is often tough because it has not been hung long enough before cooking. To make sure of steaks being tender, soak in a marinade of olive oil for an hour or two before cooking.

Plant Food Sprinkler.—Supply plant food to your garden from the first. A kitchen colander is a handy utensil to use for spreading the food.

Whipping Eggs Tender.—Egg whites beat better when at room temperature. Remove from refrigerator and let stand a while before whipping.

Creamed Dessert.—One and a half cups of cooked fruit (chopped) added to a quart of partially frozen vanilla ice cream makes an economical dessert.

One Step Apart.—The milking machine that attaches to a milking machine is a simple matter to clean them separately. One step below the milking machine the rubber tube and one step above the rubber tube is a simple matter to clean them separately.

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Typical Americans think they are better than the average. Those who commit most errors, only on being rich seem to be those who haven't any money. Few millionaires have time to be philosophers.

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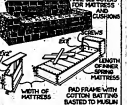
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AT THE Churches

Rev. Mission Congregational Church

Rev. N. Wilber, Pastor

1045 A. M. Bible school.

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11:15 P. M. Evangelistic.

Black River—Bible school at 10 A. M.

Monday, July 3rd

9 A. M. Vacation Bible school begins. Be sure to begin on time.

Tuesday, July 4th

Annual picnic of our church and Bible school. More announcements at Sunday services.

Friday, July 7th, evening

Devotional service.

Sunday, July 9th

9 A. M. Vacation Bible school.

Augusta Lutheran Church

Rev. L. Larson, Pastor

Black River, Friday, 8 A. M.

Confirmation class at the church.

Sunday 10 A. M. Sunday school.

11 A. M. Swedish service.

Wednesday July 6, 8:30 P. M.

Bible class and prayer meeting.

Thursday July 7, 8:30 P. M.

Prayer meeting at Mrs. J. A. Larson's.

Friday July 8, 8:30 P. M.

Confirmation class at the church.

Saturday July 9, 8:30 P. M.

Confirmation class at the church.

Sunday July 10, 8:30 P. M.

Confirmation class at the church.

Monday July 11, 8:30 P. M.

Confirmation class at the church.

Tuesday July 12, 8:30 P. M.

Confirmation class at the church.

Wednesday July 13, 8:30 P. M.

Confirmation class at the church.

Thursday July 14, 8:30 P. M.

Confirmation class at the church.

Friday July 15, 8:30 P. M.

Confirmation class at the church.

Saturday July 16, 8:30 P. M.

Confirmation class at the church.

Sunday July 17, 8:30 P. M.

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Monday July 18, 8:30 P. M.

Confirmation class at the church.

Tuesday July 19, 8:30 P. M.

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Wednesday July 20, 8:30 P. M.

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Thursday July 21, 8:30 P. M.

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Friday July 22, 8:30 P. M.

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Sunday July 24, 8:30 P. M.

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Wednesday July 27, 8:30 P. M.

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Friday July 29, 8:30 P. M.

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Saturday July 30, 8:30 P. M.

Confirmation class at the church.

Sunday July 31, 8:30 P. M.

Confirmation class at the church.

Monday August 1, 8:30 P. M.

Confirmation class at the church.

Tuesday August 2, 8:30 P. M.

Confirmation class at the church.

Wednesday August 3, 8:30 P. M.

Confirmation class at the church.

Thursday August 4, 8:30 P. M.

Confirmation class at the church.

Friday August 5, 8:30 P. M.

Confirmation class at the church.

Saturday August 6, 8:30 P. M.

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DEFEAT PLUMMER HERE LAST SUNDAY

In the final league game on local grounds this season, St. Hilaire blanked Plummer in a 2 to 0 game last Sunday afternoon. Handicapped because of Klem Giststad, regular second sacker, being out because of an injury, and by pitcher Woodrow Alquist having an injured index finger on his pitching hand, the locals went into the game lacking their usual confidence. Twice during the game Plummer had all bases occupied with only one out, and at other times were in scoring position, but Alquist worked out of the pinch each time despite his sore finger. One feature of the game was a three base hit by Arlo Jacobson. A good crowd witnessed the game which was one of the most interesting played at the stadium. Next Sunday the team goes to Olohe for its return game with that club. This will complete the league schedule for this year.

WPA STRIKE IN TWIN CITIES

Practically all work on all WPA projects in the Twin Cities and also at Olohe, at a standstill as the result of a walkout of workers in protest against a recent order which extends the number of hours of work required each week with only any corresponding increase in wages. As the order for more hours is nationwide in its scope, the same trouble is being experienced in other states. Labor unions are backing the strike movement, fearing the increase in working time, which virtually means a cut in wages, will spread to private industry.

Nick Dampien and Hazel Walin returned from their respective homes at Farmington and Minneapolis after spending about ten days here at the home of Mrs. Hilda Giststad.

Infested with small, and mites, grasshoppers are reported to be driving by thousands in this locality. Many farmers report their fields to be literally covered with dead hoppers.

NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS

All owners of dogs in the village are hereby notified to procure license tags for their animals before July 18. Any dogs found running at large after that date, without tags, will be taken up for disposal.

Village Council.

AT LAST!
 All Your Starches in Natural Colors. Absolutely beautiful! Roll developed, a natural 25c. Natural Color Reprints, 3c. Mail off with this in N. Natural Color Photo, Minneapolis, Minn.

MERCURY SOARS TO 95
 Yesterday was the warmest day experienced here this season. The temperature has been above normal for a week as the result of a heat wave sweeping from the west coast to the Atlantic seaboard. Due to the heat, all grains are showing signs of ripening and harvest may be started in a week in this vicinity. The excessive heat will undoubtedly reduce small grain returns to some extent.

Strandell-Naplin Nuptials
 Nuptial vows uniting Miss Margaret Strandell, daughter of Mrs. Marie Strandell of Crookston, and Edgar Naplin, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Naplin of Red Lake Falls, were spoken Saturday afternoon, June 24, at the Swedish Mission church at Crookston.

The impressive nuptials were held in an arched room of flowers, flanked by candelabras on either side, with the flower-laden altar in front, at the top of which stood the bride and groom and at lower steps, their attendants. Eugene V. Lundberg read the marriage service and also sang before the service. Before the entrance of the bride party, Miss Beth Balch, a bridesmaid, carried a bouquet of nuptial mums, and as an arch bride, carried the bride's crown from Lohengrin. The recessional by Mendelssohn was played at the conclusion of the ceremony.

Miss Strandell was attended by Miss June Naplin, sister of the groom, and Miss Alice Larson. Attendants of Mr. Naplin were Maurits Galtion, cousin of the groom, and Irving Strandell, brother of the bride.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception for 100 guests was held in the church parlors, after which the bride and groom left by motor for the New York world's fair and Washington, D. C. The couple will be gone for three weeks and will be at home on their return in Crookston.

Mr. Naplin is a graduate of Gustavus Adolphus college and is employed in the county relief office at Crookston. The bride was formerly employed in the residents of this vicinity who were wedding guests include Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hallstrom, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hallstrom and family, the Alfred Sorensen family, Mr. and Mrs. Fredrickson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Moberg, Gust Naplin, Mrs. Edna Naplin, Rose Axel.

Mrs. Newton Greer of Grand Forks, N. Dak., accompanied by Miss Kate Greer of Austin, Minn., motored over Monday afternoon for a brief visit at the home of Mrs. Carl Johnson.

FOR SALE—Quantity of used lumber, door, windows, screens, etc. Call on Harry Winter, St. Hilaire. 1c



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

The mercury was close to 100° Dr. D. S. Horn of Ulm made his regular monthly trip here the first two days of this week.

James Kinney and Joe Michaels left Friday by car for a picnic west of Fargo in North Dakota.

Supt. Cash Cartier was up yesterday from Red Lake Falls to read the election returns and look after other business of the Northern States Power Co.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Graham and daughter, Marjory, returned Thursday after having spent a week at the home of Mr. Graham's father at Wells, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hansen leave tomorrow to spend a few days at a lake resort south of Detroit, Lake where Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gray have a cottage for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bjork of Fargo, spent a few days here recently visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ida Konick.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bergh, Mrs. Andy Chisholm and Mrs. J. Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bergh, and children leave today for Bemidji to spend a few days with relatives and friends.

Maurits Brink, train dispatcher for the Soo Line at Gladstone, Mich., returned home Wednesday after being here for funeral rites for his nephew, Benjamin Brink. His daughter, Susanne, will stay for a longer visit.

G. L. Leary went Saturday to Fargo to see his brother, Fred who is a patient in a hospital in that city. Upon his return Monday, Mr. Leary stated his brother was getting along nicely and expected to be able to return home in about a week.

LOCATES AT WARROAD
 Dr. Manfred Dahle came Tuesday from Minneapolis for a brief visit with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle, before going to Warroad where he has decided to locate for practice of surgery and medicine. He will be connected with the new hospital which is now nearing completion at Warroad. Friends here wish him success in his new location.

DEWAYNE BRINK CALLED
 People of this community were shocked last Thursday evening when it became known that Dewayne, eleven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Brink had died suddenly following a heart attack. The boy, who had been afflicted with the rare form of heart disease since birth, was apparently in usual health and spirits the day of his death. Returning on his bicycle from a trip to the home of his uncle, V. G. Brink, he just reached home when a sudden attack came on, and he expired in a few minutes.

Dewayne, christened Verrial Dewayne, was born March 30, 1928 in Minnola while his parents resided on their ranch near Eight Point. They returned here shortly thereafter and have since made their home in the village. Dewayne attended the local school and was a member of the Lutheran Sunday school class. He was active in all sports and games, he was a great favorite with his schoolmates, and will be sadly missed by them all.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Norwegian Lutheran church with Rev. M. L. Dahle officiating. Rev. E. A. Cooke, pastor of the Community church of Thief River Falls, also spoke briefly. Seating capacity of the church was inadequate to accommodate the large number of people who attended. Many beautiful floral tributes, almost dozens of cards and esteem to Dewayne and his parents, were in evidence. A number of memorials, including a plaque from the school children, to be placed in the school were given in his memory. Pallbearers were Raymond Larson, Garm Jensen, Lyle Rolland and Stanley Johnson, with eight members of his school class acting as honorary pallbearers. Interment was in the community cemetery east of the village.

Out-of-town relatives here for the funeral and visiting at the home were: Maurits Brink and daughter, Susanne of Gladstone, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Max Wilson of Detroit Lakes; Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson of Minneapolis; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gohm and son, David, of Rochester; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweet and Miss Effie Frederickson of Moorhead; Helen and Glenn Wilson of Thief River Falls; Mr. and Mrs. John Freeberg and Mr. and Mrs. Helmer Freeberg of Crookston.

4-H PICNIC HELD SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The 4-H club members, their parents, and friends gathered at Smiley Hall for a picnic on Sunday afternoon, July 9. Four Hittenball games were played. These were followed by a series of races after which a picnic supper was served. The Star club played the Hizen club in a seven inning ball game and won by a score of 10 to 4. The Northern club won over Steiner with a score of 10 to 4. The Hittenball team played Northfield and won by a score of 12 to 1. The Rockbury defeated Mavis by a score of 12 to 8. The boys and girls and the men took part in various dashes, and the home enjoyed an egg-carrying contest.

The 4-H club of the county wish to thank the Smiley community for use of the picnic grounds.

MAN DROWNS AT RED LAKE FALLS

A young man, member of a construction crew, met death by drowning yesterday while swimming in Lake river near the old highway bridge at Red Lake Falls.

Mrs. F. K. Fredericksen, son and daughter motored down from Viking for a brief visit at the home of Mrs. Carl Johnson. Grover Stevens, who recently moved into the Eliza Henderson house on Water Street, is handling some excellent work needed improvements about the grounds.

Misses Alice and Marie Shottman arrived Friday after having spent the past month visiting at the home of their aunt and uncle, Master Sergeant and Mrs. A. A. Rogers of the Presidio of Monterey, Calif. and also attending the International Exposition in San Francisco. Enroute home they spent the week end with Misses Ornes and Margaret Dahle in Los Angeles and in Minneapolis. Guests of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Halvor Skottman. Miss Skottman will return to Seattle August first to resume her duties as a nurse in Providence Hospital.

Card of Thanks

We wish hereby to express our most hearty thanks to all our neighbors and friends for their kindness and expressions of sympathy after the death of our beloved son, Dewayne. Special thank to Rev. Dahle and Rev. Cooke; to those who sang to the pallbearers, active and honorary, to those who contributed the beautiful flowers and memorials, and to all others who assisted in any way with arrangements. All shall be held in grateful remembrance.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Brink.

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Black River: Friday 8 p. m., m.
confirmation class.

Friday 8 p. m., m. Service at
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FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1929
ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

RECEIPTS
Treasury cash on hand
From last year \$1,500.00

Received from sale of
a. Bonds \$1,500.00
b. Special State aid \$1,500.00

Income Tax \$1,500.00
Received from local taxes
a. Local on mill tax \$1,500.00

b. Tax for maintenance \$1,500.00
c. Tax for bonds and interest \$1,500.00

New revenue receipts \$1,500.00
Total receipts \$1,500.00

EXPENDITURES
General Control \$1,500.00
Instruction \$1,500.00

a. Teachers' salaries \$1,500.00
b. Text books \$1,500.00

c. Library books \$1,500.00
d. Supplies \$1,500.00

e. Other expenses of in-
struction \$1,500.00
Operation of plant \$1,500.00

a. Fuel, lights and power \$1,500.00
b. Janitor's salary \$1,500.00

Repairs (Repairs of
Plant) \$1,500.00

a. Repairs of buildings \$1,500.00
b. Repairs of machinery \$1,500.00

c. Repairs of equipment \$1,500.00
d. Transportation \$1,500.00

e. Other auxiliary \$1,500.00
Personal \$1,500.00

a. Insurance \$1,500.00
b. New buildings \$1,500.00

c. New equipment \$1,500.00
d. Debt service \$1,500.00

e. Interest on bonds \$1,500.00
b. Bonds \$1,500.00

Total expended \$1,500.00
Cash on hand June 30, 1929 \$1,500.00

Total outstanding orders
paid full year \$1,500.00

Aggregate bonded indebted-
ness (including bonds
to the date) \$1,500.00

Dated at St. Hilaire, Minn., July
10, 1929.

H. L. HOLMES, Clerk.

BLACK RIVER
Mr. and Mrs. Martin Erick-
son, Marie and Grace visited
Sunday evening at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moebeck.

Mr. Wick and daughter of
Helena, Nebraska, and O. G.
Gunstad visited on Monday at
the home of Mrs. J. V. Patton.

Mr. Wick will be remembered
by his friends as Superintendent
of the public school of St. Hilaire.

Miss Susanne Brink who has
visited here with relatives for
the past week, returned to her
home at Gladstone, Minn. Sat-
urday evening. Before she de-
parted she will spend a few days
with friends at Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Skarbo
and daughters, Beverly and
Helen, returned from a visit
on Sunday at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. A. V. Jonsson.

The Ladies Aid of the Black
river Swedish Lutheran church
held at the C. A. Lindquist
home on Thursday a luncheon
attended by a very large crowd. Mes-
dames C. A. Lindquist and

Glen Lindquist were hostesses.
Mr. and Mrs. Martin Erick-
son, Marie, Grace and Ronald
visited Sunday at the home of
Mrs. J. A. Lindquist.

Mrs. J. A. Lindquist is
visiting at the home of her
father, Chas. Adolphson.

John Winter and Sylvia Win-
ter visited Monday at the C.
Lindquist home.

The following enjoyed a pic-
nic dinner at the Chas. Adolph-
son home on Sunday: Mr. and
Mrs. Ferdie Adolphson and
daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Auld
Hanner and daughters and Mrs.
J. Westholm of Wadena.

Vernon Lindquist and Miss
Avelle St. Michael motored to
Rousesau on Saturday and visited
with Norma Bjorklund and Elva
Gundersen.

BRAY
Mr. and Mrs. Reid Reuben Ry-
an, Mr. and Mrs. Lillian Ry-
an, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hansen
were Wednesday evening visitors at
James Barnett's.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Veve, Mr.
and Mrs. Clara Sande and
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Miss L. C. Hegstad spent
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Pearl Agnes and Harvey An-
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daughter, were Friday evening
visitors at August Scholten's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Han-
son, Dorothy, Lenore and
son, visited at the home of Mr.
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Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hansen
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FAIR CLOSED 5-DAY RUN LAST THURSDAY

Paved through five big days by traditional fine weather, the Pennington County Fair closed Friday night following a grand display of fireworks. Huge crowds thronged the fair grounds each of the five days and all fairgoers are unanimous in stating the county fair was bigger and better than ever.

The fair management recently purchased a ten acre tract of ground immediately south of the present site which is to be added to the grounds to provide much needed parking space. Other extensive improvements are also contemplated for the coming fall to provide adequate space and accommodations for the rapidly growing exposition, the largest in northern Minnesota.

PLANT EQUIPMENT HERE

Machinery equipment for the Bink & Berghold honey extracting plant arrived this week and is now being placed. Included are two 50 frame extractors, a steam heated decapping device and three large honey storage bins. The boiler, engine and steampipe connections are already placed, and a few days more will put the new plant in readiness for use.

Harry Winter, who has his own extracting outfit, will place in the north part of the village, started extracting his honey crop this week.

THRUSHING UNDER WAY

Thrashing is well under way throughout the section of the county. Yields of small grains vary to a considerable extent this season, some fields showing little grain to very good while others are disappointing as to yield. Early frost appears to be very good, but late frost is being damaged by grasshoppers. In some fields the tall stalks are either empty or have been cut off entirely, the work of hoppers. The same situation holds true in regard to sweet clover.

WANTED—Dead and disabled animals.

We remove and destroy promptly free of charge. We pay phone charge. Phone 151, Red Lake Falls Rendering Company, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

TWINE PRICES

Standard per 100 lb. \$6.50
Stan. Manilla, 500 feet per 37.40
Manilla, 600 feet per 37.50
These prices are for cash
A. SATTERBERG
St. Hilaire, Minn.

FRESH MEATS

We carry a fancy quality of fresh meats at following prices:

BEF ROAST, per lb.	19c
T-BONE STEAK, lb.	23c
ROUND OR SIRLOIN, lb.	24c
BEF RIBS, lb.	24c
BEF BRISKET, lb.	19c
PORK STEAK, lb.	19c
PORK ROAST, lb.	18c
PORK CHOPS, lb.	24c
PORK SAUSAGE, lb.	18c
HAMBURGER, extra, per lb.	20c
RING BOLOGNA, lb.	18c
MINCED HAM, lb.	18c
SALT PORK, lb.	12c

Special prices on orders of five pounds and over. We will be glad to accommodate anyone wishing to get in after closing time. Simply give us a call stating when you are coming and we'll be on hand to serve you.

M. H. JACKSON

GEN'L. MERCHANTISE
St. Hilaire, Minn.

PLUMMER GAME 4-2

In the all-star ball game played last Sunday at Plummer as a wrap-up of the season for teams of the Northern Minnesota League, the team of players from Okla., Plummer and Red Lake Falls took the long end of a 4 to 2 score against a team consisting of players from the OGC, Orgas and St. Hilaire teams. A good sized crowd witnessed the contest.

START REPAIRING WALKS

The village has a crew of men at work mending some very necessary repairs on walks about town. A new walk is being laid from corner of the postoffice east to the telephone office. Broken sidewalks are being removed from walks in the business section, and again will be made wherever needed.

BALL GAME HERE SUNDAY

The Red Lake Falls ball team coming Sunday to play the locals in what will undoubtedly be one of the best games here this season. At present Red Lake Falls and St. Hilaire are tied for second place in Northern Minnesota league standings. Earlier in the league season, teams played a game at Red Lake Falls to the play-off Sunday will determine the second place winner in the schedule just closed. A good turnout of rooters is desired for this game which will start at 2:30.

Harry Jackson, connected with the Hardware Specialties Manufacturing Company at St. Paul, came yesterday for a visit with his father, H. O. Jackson, and at the home of his brother, Myles. He leaves tomorrow for a trip to the Pacific coast country in the interest of his company.

Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmar Johnson of Chicago were Monday for a visit at the home of his brother, Edward Johnson, in Black River, and with other relatives at Cambridge and Alexandria. They left yesterday by way of Duluth on return trip to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson and Mrs. E. L. Hauge motored Sunday to Ada and spent the day with relatives. Upon returning here they were accompanied by Mrs. Hauge's sister Mrs. Bertha Olson, who will visit for some time with her sister at the Johnson home.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Mrs. L. Cathelineau, Sr., of Rochester, Minn., is here for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Plummer.

Rev. and Mrs. Alex Sand of Ansonia are guests here at the home of Mrs. Sand's mother, Mr. August Swenson.

Co. Commissioner Paul Roy spent Tuesday at Thief River Falls, Minn., presiding at the monthly meeting of the county board.

Knutte Jorgenson was down today from Thief River Falls looking after his real estate interests in the south part of the village.

Mrs. N. H. Hammen entertained a number of neighbors and friends at a party given Saturday afternoon at the Mrs. Hilda Gistad home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Hansen of St. Paul were here yesterday for a brief visit with friends, and to look after their real estate interests southeast of the village.

Supt. M. R. Graham, Richard Larsen, accompanied by Senator E. L. Thengst of Thief River Falls, motored yesterday to St. Paul to attend to affairs pertaining to the local school.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ball and daughter, Patricia, motored last Sunday from their home at Duluth to Maple Lake for a visit at the summer cottage of Mrs. Ball's mother, Mrs. Anna Peterson. Mr. Ball returned home the same day while the others remained to spend a week.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahl left yesterday to spend their annual summer vacation at their cottage on Sauk Lake near Sauk Center. They will be joined there about August 15 by their daughter, Grace, 17, the largest plant of its kind in Oklahoma, handles a variety of products in addition to its huge butter production.

PACKING HOUSE STRIKE

Stewards of the Packing House Workers organizing committee voted Tuesday to call a strike at both Chicago plants of Armour and Company following a disagreement concerning reinstatement of discharged workers. Should the strike call go into effect, it will automatically extend to all other plants belonging to the company including that at West Fargo.

BUY NEW SCHOOL BUS

At a meeting of the school board Tuesday night, the district purchased another school bus to handle the additional enrollment of country pupils already arranged for at opening of school next month. The new bus is the latest type of Superior body, completely equipped and mounted on an International truck chassis. The successful bidder was Adolph Satterberg, Local International dealer, who has three similar buses here from which the board made its selection. The new bus is a 42 passenger one with new type heater, ventilating system, and ample seating room. Mr. Satterberg stated he will make delivery of the new bus in about ten days. The old International bus is being retained as an auxiliary in case of need.

MAKING WELDING ROSS

C. C. Schanzman, owner of the Service Motor Company, has secured the manufacturing rights for a new type of welding rod to be used in repair of aluminum articles, and these made of similar white metals. Many tests made show the new product to be exceptionally good in resistance of the metal mentioned. Mr. Schanzman has two salesmen out in Minnesota and North Dakota territory introducing his new rod, and he has already received some orders from sections where they were first sold.

Miss Gladys Maland left Tuesday for St. Paul to visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. George Gilman.

Rev. and Mrs. Herman Larson and children returned Friday following a visit with relatives in Minneapolis.

N. L. Ladies Aid will be entertained Friday, Aug. 11, by Mrs. G. P. Peterson, Mrs. Miller Peterson and Mrs. Fred Aubol.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jackson and daughter, Patricia, motored Sunday to Lancaster and spent the day at the home of their nephew, Ravins Noun.

John Novak of Charles City, Iowa, came Wednesday to spend a few days at the home of his niece, Mrs. H. L. Holmes, and visit at the home of their nephew, Ravins Noun.

Dr. Menford Dahl left yesterday with a truckload of equipment to open his new office at Warroad. Dr. Dahl also plans to maintain a branch office at Williams. Friends here join in wishing him unbounded success.

Elis Stenstrom of Crookston, accompanied by relatives, was here last Sunday for a visit at the home of his niece, Mrs. Tom Groven. Mr. Stenstrom, who is a brother of Cong. Halvor Stenstrom, deceased, was a frequent visitor in St. Hilaire in earlier days.

Clifford Elden, who is in charge of the better manufacturing department of a large creamery at End, Okla., came Tuesday for a visit with his father, A. Elden. The creamery, the largest plant of its kind in Oklahoma, handles a variety of products in addition to its huge butter production.

WHEAT FARMERS MAY GET LOANS

Wheat farmers throughout Pennington County who stand within their wheat allotment for 1939 are eligible for loans on their crop this year through the Commodity Credit Corporation. These loans will be discussed at a county meeting Friday evening, August 11, at 8 P. M. in the courtroom of the court house.

The loan values this year are materially above the market, and, no doubt, nearly everyone that is eligible will take advantage of the loan. Wheat may be stored either on the farm in approved elevators. When the wheat is stored on the farm the farmer will be allowed 72 per bushel storage for the loan period which expires April 30, 1940.

Everyone is invited to attend the meeting to get more information on the details of securing a loan.

ATTY F. A. GRADY IS DEAD

Attorney Frank A. Grady, widely known through this section of the state, died Monday morning at a Crookston hospital after a brief illness following an operation. He was born March 2nd, 1870 in Olmsted county this state, and was 69 years of age.

Following his admission to the bar in 1894, Attorney Grady practiced law two years at Thief River Falls before removing to Red Lake Falls where he remained until 1910 when he moved to Crookston. For the past ten years his son, Lowell, has been associated with him in the law practice at Crookston.

He is survived by his wife, three sons, two brothers and one sister. Funeral services were held yesterday at Crookston.

During his years of practice at Red Lake Falls, Mr. Grady had considerable business on the vicinity and consequently, is well known here.

ATTENDS POULTRY CONGRESS

Mrs. W. J. Janda returned Sunday after attending sessions of the World's Poultry Congress at Cleveland, Ohio, which meeting was given wide publicity thru the daily press the past week. While in Cleveland, Mrs. Janda visited at the home of her niece, Mrs. Fred Owen.

Dance!

TEX
and His Broods Sisters
—at—
DO-DROP INN
ST. HILAIRE
Saturday, Aug. 12
Admission 25 Cents

Your Creamery

The creamery, organized and built by the people of this community because they saw a need for co-operative marketing of their farm products, can grow and prosper only in the same proportion as it is patronized by the people of the community. Work and boost for the creamery. The more you patronize it, the greater your profits will be.

St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery Association

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Talks who want a really big gasoline value buy FIRE-CHIEF

When motorists from coast-to-coast choose Fire-Chief gasoline, they know they are getting the best value at its price you can't buy a better gasoline. The Fire-Chief is the best gasoline in the world. Choose Fire-Chief for the season. And enjoy it for the rest of the year. It's the only gasoline that gives you the greatest value. Drive fast.

AT
Texaco Service Station
Elden & Olson, Props.
St. Hilaire, Minn.

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LOSE TO LEONARD IN SUNDAY GAME

The local ball team took the short end of a 13 to 7 score last Sunday in its first meeting with the Leonard club in a game played here. The visitors took a lead in early part of the game and maintained it to the end. St. Hilaire was handicapped to some extent by having to go into the game with two crippled players. Amongst the pitchers: Zacker, third base, both being out of condition.

A return game with the Leonard club will be played at that place next Sunday afternoon. A good sized delegation of noters will accompany the team.

WAR SCARE AGAIN

Late press dispatches and radio reports on the European situation today concerning possibility of war in Europe, are none to reassure. With more than 10,000,000 men under arms, and the big navies ready for action, it looks as though the crisis in the big international checker game will soon be reached.

Mrs. Arvid Dahlstrom and daughter, Marilyn, returned this week from Minneapolis where the latter received medical treatment for an attack of inflammatory rheumatism. It will be necessary for the girl to spend the next month or two in bed to avoid complications.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweet motored here Saturday from Edred and spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Brink. Mr. Sweet is G. N. agent at Edred, having recently been transferred from Moorhead.

FOR SALE—Piano, very cheap, at Do Drop Inn, city.

FOR SALE—Two rat terrier pups. Call on or write Alice Sever, Phone 3-28, at farm 2 miles west of St. Hilaire.

For Sale—Several used kerosene, gasoline, wood ranges, and electric ranges for sale reasonably. Rod Lake Fuel Co. Phone 88, Thier River Falls, Minn.

WANTED—Dead and disabled animals. We remove them promptly free of charge. We pay phone charges. Two left with every call. Phone 151, Rod Lake Falls Rendering Company, Rod Lake Falls, Minn.

FOR SALE—The Dahl residence on south Water street, 6th lot, fine corner location, 6 room house, stone cellar, city, car, shed and wood shed. Priced at \$6500 for quick sale. Communicate with Jas. A. Dahl, Glyndon, Minn.

PICKET FARGO PLANT

The Armour packing plant in West Fargo is being picketed this week following a disagreement between plant officials and union labor. About 800 men were involved in the strike. Picketing was peaceful, however, and the plant continued to operate. About half of the men have returned to work, and those still out will be replaced.

SIGN FOR BANG'S TEST

The progress in the signing of petitions in Pennington County for an area test for Bang's Disease is very satisfactory. Some committees have already completed their townships and many more are nearly completed.

Only 70 per cent of the cattle owners need to sign the petition to make the test possible. The townships reported over 80 per cent of the owners have signed. From this viewpoint it appears that the area test will be asked for and, no doubt, the test will be made in October or November.

Madames M. H. Jackson, H. Ritter, O. Gustaf and Alfie Stetson, Patricia Jackson, Ruth Adler, Gene, Joan and Jack Winter motored Thursday to Foston and spent the day at the E. N. Hegerberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson motored here Sunday from Duluth for a brief visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Bjerk. They were accompanied here by Mrs. Bjerk who was called to Duluth about two weeks ago by the death of her sister.

Several people from this locality attended the gathering held last Sunday at the Indian battleground at Pelan near Greenwald. Governor Olsson was the principal speaker, and it is estimated fully nine thousand people were present to hear him.

State Fair Revue Star
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bjerk and family motored here Saturday from Villiston, N. D., to visit a few days at the home of Mr. Bjerk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bjerk.

Charley Bengtson was brot home last week from University hospital, Minneapolis, where he underwent amputation of a leg following a pneumonia infection. He went thru the ordeal well and is gradually regaining strength.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roy and family plan to leave Friday for Ironwood, Minn., for a visit at the home of Mr. Roy's brother, Theodore Roy. The latter is a mining engineer, and has charge of mine operations in the vicinity of Ironwood.

Elroy Johnson of Kollher, former teacher in the local school who is attending summer school at the State Teachers College at Bemidji, called on friends here Sunday evening while enroute home after visiting with his brother and family at Thier River Falls.

Mrs. Arne Vik was operated upon for gallstones Tuesday morning at Bethesda hospital north of Bikey's store. An admission thirty feet in length will be built to it, concrete foundation, strength as rapidly as finished, the garage will be ample room for three buses and the county now plow.

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Friends of Marvin Olson will be pleased to know he is improving after being confined to bed about three weeks by a rheumatic ailment.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sande were here Sunday from Thier River Falls for a visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fricker, and also with other relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roy and family plan to leave Friday for Ironwood, Minn., for a visit at the home of Mr. Roy's brother, Theodore Roy. The latter is a mining engineer, and has charge of mine operations in the vicinity of Ironwood.

Elroy Johnson of Kollher, former teacher in the local school who is attending summer school at the State Teachers College at Bemidji, called on friends here Sunday evening while enroute home after visiting with his brother and family at Thier River Falls.

Mrs. Arne Vik was operated upon for gallstones Tuesday morning at Bethesda hospital north of Bikey's store. An admission thirty feet in length will be built to it, concrete foundation, strength as rapidly as finished, the garage will be ample room for three buses and the county now plow.

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SCHOOL OPENS SEPT. 5

The local school will reopen Tuesday, September 5th, after the annual summer vacation. The building has been thoroughly renovated during the summer months and is in the best of condition for opening. At present there is still one teaching position unfilled for which applications are being considered.

BACK FROM SOUTHERN TRIP

Miss Hulda Gledstad returned Saturday after spending about three weeks touring in southern states and in Old Mexico. She accompanied a party made up at Fargo and Moorhead on the trip to view numerous points of interest in the southern republic. She left again Monday to visit a week or so with her cousin at Crookston before returning to Moorhead to resume her position in the city school system at the opening of school.

ENTERTAINMENT SETS NEW HIGH FOR STATE FAIR

Two Distinct Night Shows Booked—Yadley Keynote of \$125,000 Program.

Amused with spectacular attractions, the 1929 100-day Minnesota State Fair, August 26 to September 4, will offer the greatest entertainment program in its history. Going 125,000 to will be equalled with its variety show.

To provide greater variety, the management is offering two distinct grand productions. "Theatre Play" from the Opera House and "Theatre Play" from the Opera House.

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WILL RETEST HERDS IN PENNINGTON CO.

Word has been received by Howard E. Crook, county agent, that the Minnesota Livestock Sanitary Board will conduct a retest of all herds of cattle in Pennington county that disposed of infected or suspicious animals in the complete tuberculosis test last April. The test will start September 4, and all cattle owners that had infected or suspect herds are asked to co-operate by having their cattle in the herd at the time the veterinarian asks for them. This will make it possible to complete the retest in the allotted time.

Equipment is now placed at the B & B honey extracting plant and it will be ready to operate in a few days.

A large crowd attended the "Big Ole" show given last evening and stayed for the dance given after performance.

Wm. Engh has moved a building in from the Harry Winter farm and plans to use it to be used as a garage and storage place for fuel.

After spending part of the summer here with her father, Miss Pearl Simonson left Sunday for Thier River to resume teaching at opening of the school there next Monday.

The boy's ball team went to Crookston last Sunday and played a game with a similar organization in that town. Although the local lost by a small margin, they played a fine game.

G. N. Grice, drug salesman with headquarters at Fargo, was a visitor the fore part of the week at the Brink home. Mr. Grice and the Brink first met in a trailer camp at McAllen, Texas, where they all spent the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Aubel and family came Sunday from Cranston, Wis., to spend the week visiting at the Peter Simonson and Walter Aubel homes and with other relatives and friends here. They will leave Saturday for a visit at Cass Lake before returning home.

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THIEF RIVER HOST TO WAR VETERANS

With every Legion post automatically a member, the third annual convention of the International War Veterans Alliance in Thief River Falls over the Labor Day week-end, September 2, 3 and 4, will attract hundreds of World War veterans and their friends from throughout Minnesota and North Dakota. In addition to a solid tradition of former service men coming down from Winnipeg and Manitoba.

Parades will feature each day of the convention, a score of bands and drum corps will participate. Professional street entertainers will perform each day, and there will be dances each evening in the sports arena.

Highlights of the convention include an address by Governor Harold Stassen afternoon of Labor Day; an official Northern Legion baseball game between the Winnipeg and Crookston teams Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at the fair grounds park. The main convention parade will be held immediately preceding the ball game, and will end at the ball park.

Among visiting officials will be Mayor John E. Olson of St. Paul and several other high in Legion circles. Col. L. D. M. Baxter of Winnipeg will give the principal address at Memorial services to be conducted Sunday evening at 7:30 in the Elks Memorial Park.

Business sessions of the I. W. V. A. will be held Monday morning and will be presided over by Vice E. Rahmberg, president, of Grand Forks.

"CHANGE CREAM DAYS"
Beginning September 1, cream will be received at the creamery on Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday each week. As cream receipts are always light on Tuesday and Thursday at this time of the year, the association will make a saving by not purchasing on those days.

Darlene Olson has brought into this office a very interesting spider for identification. The insect has the "red-legs" similar to an ordinary spider, and it spins a web, but it appears to have a hard shell across its back. The latter is striped across in gray and white. It is on exhibit in our shop window and anyone able to identify it will be given the insect.

HAVE HOUSEWARMING
Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter to the number of about seventy, joined Sunday in a housewarming at the newly completed Winter home at north end of the village. During the afternoon guests were shown through the new home, and later all gathered at the Norwegian Lutheran church parlors for luncheon following which Mr. and Mrs. Winter were presented with an appropriate reminder of the happy event by their friends.

LOCAL SCHOOL TO OPEN ON TUESDAY

The local school reopens Tuesday, September 5th, after the annual summer recess of three months. Students returning to school will note a number of changes. During the summer Junior Fricke has arranged a science class room equipped with tables to seat all in the class. The building has been cleaned from bottom to top; desks have been refinished; some redecorating done.

One teaching position, that of principal, has been filled. Mr. Raymond Larson left Monday and Tuesday with relatives at Detroit Lakes.

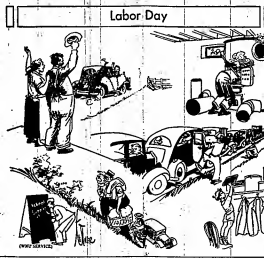
Students entering high school for the first time in the community is cordially invited for the first time in the community is cordially invited.

RECTORY SCHOOL GARAGE
Foundations have been poured and material for building is on the ground for the new school bus garage building to be erected north of the Hickey store. These in charge of construction expected to have the building completed by the end of next week.

SCARIFYING N. 32
Trunk Highway No. 32 from the north end of the village to Thief River is being scarified again in preparation for fall treatment. Temporary repair work is being done to keep the road in passable condition until the road is rebuilt next year.

Friends of Mrs. Arne Vik will be pleased to know she is recovering at a satisfactory rate following an operation performed at a Crookston hospital. Mr. Vik, who has been in poor health for several months, is to undergo an operation at the same hospital today.

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Miss Dorothy Gustaf, as a guest of friends from Rapid, is visiting Yellowstone National Park week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roy and son returned Monday after a visit at the home of Mr. Roy's mother, then, Roy, at Ironwood, Mich.

The N. L. Ladies Aid will be entertained by Madelon J. Gustaf, Carl Sarno and Margarete Volen at the church parlors, Friday, Sept. 8.

The P. & B. company has a new plant at the old mill site was put into operation for the first time yesterday. Equipped with modern machinery, the plant is capable of extracting several tons of honey each operating day.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Reiersgaard and family of Poston, and Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Skarstad and family of Argyle were among the out-of-town people here last Sunday for the gathering at the Harry Winter home.

Mauritz Brink visited from Saturday evening until Monday at the home of his brothers, A. W. and Victor Brink with en route to his home at Gladstone, Mich., after a trip to California and other western states. Mr. Brink is train dispatcher for the Soo Line at Gladstone.

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BAND GOING TO GRYGLA

The St. Hilaire school band has been engaged to furnish music at the annual fall festival which will be held at Grygla next Saturday. The fall festival attracts people from a wide area, and is an outstanding event at Grygla each year.

Next Sunday the band has been invited to give a concert at the third annual convention of the International War Veterans Alliance at Thief River Falls.

BLANK LEONARD IN SUNDAY GAME

The village ball team, accompanied by a loyal aggregation of rooters motored Sunday to Leonard for a return game with the club in that village which beat St. Hilaire the previous Sunday.

In a fast game which developed into a pitcher's duel, the St. Hilaire team beat Leonard 3 to 0. Because of an injury to his hand, Almus was unable to pitch for the locals so substituted in that position, holding the Leonard batters to one run.

The boys reported having a fine time at Leonard.

STATE FAIR WELL ATTENDED
Minnesota's first 10-day State Fair is going over with a bang. Record crowds have attended each day and fair officials are confident the attendance will exceed 700,000.

The new 4-H club building, the National Pershing Show and the machinery display with many new makes of tractors, the new trials introduced for the first time, have been the center of interest to thousands each day.

Television in actual operation a thrill day program of hair-raising events for Friday, a multi-ballet flight are held inners attracting much attention. The third series of auto races for the American dirt track championship is scheduled for Saturday. Twenty bands will compete in the state-wide band tournament Saturday.

Four-H livestock will show the spotlight in the evening in horse, sheep and swine barns the final Saturday, Sunday and Labor Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Aubel and family left Saturday en route to their home at Cranston, Wis., after having spent a week here at the Peter Shomon home and with other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Healy of Red Lake Falls, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. O. Gustaf, returned Monday night after a week-end motor trip to International Falls, Fort Francis, Keosau and Winnipeg. They went by way of Bemidji, and returned through Emerson, the total distance being 800 miles.

PIONEER CITIZEN DIED MONDAY NIGHT

Stan J. Naplin, one of the oldest pioneer settlers of this county, died at 9 o'clock Monday night at his home near Black River crossing in Polk Center township, at the ripe old age of 94 years, 8 months and 4 days, death being caused by infirmities of old age.

Mr. Naplin was born in Sweden on the 24th of December, 1844, and spent his early years in 1860, and was married there in 1880, he and his family came to this country, settling at Dudley, Iowa. Two years later they came to the Black River community where Mr. Naplin has made his home continuously for 57 years.

Mr. Naplin and his wife had five children, two sons and three daughters, August, Anna and Carl E. of Black River community, and Mary of Cass Lake. He was survived by a brother, A. Halstrom of Polk Center, as well as numerous other relatives.

Coming to this section when it virtually was a wilderness, Mr. Naplin saw much of pioneer day life, and took so small part in the development of his home community. A quiet, retiring old gentleman, he was held in high esteem by all who knew him, and will be missed by his old friends.

Funeral services were held today from the Naplin home at 1:30 and at 2 o'clock at the Black River Swedish Lutheran church of which the deceased had been a member since 1882. Rev. H. H. Larson officiated at the service which was largely attended by neighbors and friends from throughout the Black River community. Interment took place in the cemetery, adjoining the church.

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SERVICES FOR MRS. ELMER JOHNSON

Mrs. Elmer Johnson, resident of this village since 1921, died at her home at 7:30 Sunday evening following an illness of several years. Her condition had been critical the past two weeks so death was not unexpected.

Mrs. Johnson, nee Mary Braaten, was born in Pipestone county, this state, on June 11, 1892 and she was 47 years and two months of age at the time of her demise. When a small girl she moved with her parents to Bryant, S. D., where she attended school until in 1916 when the family moved to Marvel, N. D. On June 30, 1921 she was united in marriage to Elmer Johnson at Grand Forks, N. Dak., and has since made her home here. She is survived by her husband and one son, Stanley, and by two brothers and one sister. The latter are Knute, Ole, Henry, Albert and Theodore Braaten, all of Marvel, and Mrs. Oscar Nelson of Grand Forks. Her parents and one sister have preceded her in death.

A good wife and mother, always cheerful despite her affliction, Mrs. Johnson was highly esteemed by all who knew her, and she will be sadly missed in the community.

Rev. H. A. Larsen officiated at the funeral service held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Swedish Lutheran church, which was well attended by neighbors and friends from the village and surrounding country. Present at the funeral also were her five brothers and one sister and their families. Arrangement of the funeral was in charge of Mr. F. Erickson of Thief River Falls, and the pallbearers were, Norman Holmes, Ben Lantz, John Gustafson, Orestes Olson, Fred Waberg and Jens Almquist. Interment took place in the cemetery east of the village.

EUROPEAN WAR STARTS

Another European war, which the rest of the world had earnestly hoped might be averted by peaceful means, is under way following declaration of war against Germany by both England and France following an invasion of Polish territory by the German army forces last week. It is a terrible blow to the people of this country. President Roosevelt proclaimed U. S. neutrality and asked the American people to remain calm in the face of events now taking place. The president said he greatly desired that the people of America carefully sift the numerous war dispatches being sent out by medium of the daily press and by radio, many of which are not authentic, and to avoid propaganda aimed at creating sentiment for participation by any European conflict.

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ENTERTAIN WAR VETERANS

Saturday, Sunday and Monday were gala days at Thief River Falls when that city was host to the annual convention of International War Veterans Alliance. Hundreds of veterans from Canada and North Dakota helped swell the attendance at the largest gathering ever held at Thief River Falls. Parades, band music, street entertainment, dances, a game between Winnipeg and Crookston and other features kept interest keen all during the three days. The attendance was especially large on Labor Day when Governor Harold Stinson spoke. Memorial services were held Sunday evening at the Elks Memorial Park on the bank of the river near the Soo station. So heavy was the attendance that parking space for cars was at a premium in the entire downtown section of Thief River Falls all during the three day convention.

FOUR HURT IN AUTO CRASH SUNDAY MORN

A Crookston girl was seriously injured and two young men from Thief River Falls were bruised more or less when their car met in head-on collision near the Randorf farm north of here at Th. H. No. 32 early Sunday morning.

Alerno Berge of Crookston suffered the most serious injury. He was driving a 1937 Buick when he ran into the side of a 1937 Buick driven by one of the boys from Thief River Falls, riding in the same car, escaped with minor injuries. Donald McFarland and Rudy Moeve received lack of body injuries though not of a serious nature. Both cars were damaged beyond repair. It was reported here that the accident was caused by one of the cars running into a bank of gravel running up along one side of the road in preparation for oil treatment.

Mrs. Otto Johnson returned Thursday after accompanying relatives from Bemidji on a trip to visit at the home of her brother, Sam Haugen, at Hayfield, Minn. While in that section Mrs. Johnson had opportunity to visit the Mystery caves near Spring Valley and Harmony, the most beautiful natural wonders to be found in this state.

Many people from this village and vicinity were at Thief River Falls last Sunday to see the Winnipeg-Crookston ball game held in connection with the big veterans' meeting in that city. The game went twelve innings with the home score 8 to 7 in favor of the Winnipeg club.

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Dr. Horn, the Ulen dentist, is scheduled to be here again next Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Alice Skottmen returned from a teaching assignment as instructor in the public schools of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Nelson and daughter, Myrtle, of William, are guests last Friday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahl.

Co. Commissioner Paul Roy was at the county seat Tuesday to preside at the regular monthly meeting of the county board.

Miss Dorothy Gustafson left Sunday for Bagley to be in hand for opening of the village school in which she is an instructor.

After spending a week at his home here, Private Robert Rosendahl left Monday for his station at Fort Lincoln near Bismarck, N. D.

Mrs. Henry Hovsager and children are here from Sunday, N. D., to spend a few days at the home of her mother, Mrs. Knute Kolstad.

Knute, Jorgen, Inga and Annie Nordlund motored here Monday from Fisher and spent the day at the home of their sister, Mrs. Knute Kolstad.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hovel and family came Saturday from Wellsville and visited until Sunday at the home of Mrs. Hovel's father, Mrs. Knute Kolstad.

Frank Ryllina and family left Tuesday for their home at Excelsior after finishing extracting honey secured from their apiaries located in this vicinity.

Dr. Manfred Dahl came down Sunday afternoon from Wernsdorf for a short visit. His parents before leaving Monday for William and Minneapolis intend to attend matters of business.

The school band furnished music for the annual Fall Festival last Saturday at Grygja. The youngsters report having had a good time at Grygja. Rain, then into heavy rain near Goodridge the excursion home.

The State Fair closing Monday night after enjoying record breaking attendance every one of the ten days it remained.

A special meeting of the board of directors of the creamery office last evening.

Mrs. Hilda Gistad and Miss Emma Narvesson of Crookston, spent last week-end here at the home of Hilda Gistad.

Ray Hanson and family of St. Paul were here Sunday and Monday for a visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hanson.

After spending a few days here at the home of Mrs. Mary Sherr and Mrs. Carl Nelson and children left Monday for their home at Hibbing.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sherr and son were here Sunday from Fertile and spent the day at the home of Mr. Sherr's mother, Mrs. Mary Sherr.

An artesian well is being drilled near the Sam Pearson place on Minnesota avenue. Residents in that locality, and the village are co-operating to get a well which is badly needed.

Prices of livestock, grains and other farm produce have gone up considerably the past few days as speculators rushed into agricultural commodities in anticipation of demand from the warring nations in Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hedlund and Lester Strom motored here Sunday from their homes near McIntosh for a brief visit at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Carl Johnson. They were accompanied by Miss Eva Johnson who had spent the past week visiting relatives in the vicinity of McIntosh and Foston.

P. T. A. FRIDAY NIGHT First meeting for this school year of the Parent-Teachers Association will be held Friday night this week. In addition to a brief program, this gathering will be in the nature of a reception for the teachers who have returned to assume their places in the school.

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GAME SEASON OPENS

Oct. 14
The acting commissioner of conservation has announced dates for opening of the season for upland game birds. For the first time in the history of the state, the season is open for Hungarian partridge from Oct. 14 to Oct. 16 inclusive. The bag limit is set at four, eight in possession and 12 for the season. Another prized quarry of hunters, ruffed grouse, may be taken from Oct. 14 to Oct. 22, inclusive, with the same bag limit as above. Cock pheasants only may be taken from Oct. 14 to Oct. 29. Only three may be taken in one day, the season limit being 18 with eight in possession.

There is no season on prairie chicken or sharpshinned grouse. Hunting is permitted between the hours of 7 A. M. and 4 P. M. daily.

POISON 'HOPPERS NOW, IS ADVICE

Now that most of the thrashing is done, it is a good time for the farmers to finish that grasshopper hunting that they started last June, states Howard E. Grogan, County Agent. It is true that the hoppers will not damage any more crops this year, but they still have time to lay millions of eggs that will produce hoppers next year. Millions of eggs have already been laid, but much good can result from spreading bait at this time.

The hoppers have congregated in meadows, pastures, and along roadsides for egg laying. By spreading poisoned bait in these areas fewer hoppers will hatch next year. The mixing of bait has stopped, but mixed bait is still available, and an ample supply of materials is on hand to mix more as it is needed.

Skallet-Haugen
Yesterday at the Norwegian Lutheran parsonage in this village occurred the marriage of Mr. Olef Haugen of Wernsdorf to Miss Thilda Skallet of Mayfield. Rev. M. L. Dahl officiated at the ceremony which was witnessed by Sigurd Haugen and Miss Gladys Skallet, brother of the groom and sister of the bride, respectively.

A heavy rain which started during early morning today, has soaked the ground to the depth of several inches. While it may help the ground for plowing and replenish soil water supply, it may not be so good for potatoes still in the ground.

Guests Sunday at the Emil Just home were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Evensen and daughters, Catherine, Esther, Gladys and Eva Mae, and Art Johnson, all of Cando, N. D. Mr. Evensen is a nephew of Mrs. Just.

ST. HILAIRE SCHOOL OPENED TUESDAY

The local school re-opened Tuesday morning following summer vacation. Enrollment in the high school was 114, and in the grades 86 for the opening day, but more are expected to enroll within next week or ten days when fall work will be finished thus permitting more country students to attend. Three buses are now operating daily, one from south-east, one east, and one west of town. The new bus recently purchased has not yet been put into the east route.

Mrs. Chas. Vorchok of Thief River Falls is substituting in the commercial department until a qualified teacher can be found for that division. Several applicants have been considered but all of them lack some credit essential for the position. All non-resident teachers reached within the last week and the school is rapidly getting into its regular routine.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

The regular meeting of the village council will be held at 8:00 P. M. in the council room. All members present except Gistad. On motion the following bills were allowed: Rev. St. Fr. Co. lights—\$34.30 M. Jackson, groceries 5.14
Flamme 1.28
Dr. Horn, plate, Flamme 17.00
Ed. Knuth, gravel, grading 13.15
Ole Brannum, labor 3.25
O. K. Olson, labor 1.05
O. Gustafson, pro and notice 2.50
Brittain Clinic, sect. G. Nelson 21.00
No further business, meeting adjourned.
ELMER JOHNSON, Clerk.

A. Satterberg, Pres.

In Memoriam
In loving memory of our husband and father who passed away one year ago, September 10.

One year has passed since that day when our loved one was called away. God took him home, it was his will.

But in our hearts he liveth still. Sadly missed by Mrs. Mark Harder and family.

Dance!

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Threshing of small grain is just about completed through this part of the county. Only a small amount of sweet clover and flax now remains, and most of that will be done within a week if favorable weather continues.

25 Years Ago

Augustana Lutheran Church
H. A. Larson, Pastor
Black River: Friday 10:00 p. m. Luther League at Mr. and Mrs. John Schellin. Program by Clara Luther League.
Sunday 10 a. m. Sunday school.
St. John's: Sunday 9:30 a. m. Service. Rev. C. W. Erickson in charge of service.
10:30 a. m. Sunday school.
Wednesday 8 p. m. Confirmation class and week day school.
Friday 7:30 p. m. Ladies aid at Mrs. Elmer Carlsson's. Medallion B. Carlson and A. Sampson entertain.
St. Clara: Hazel: Sunday 10:00 a. m. Sunday school. 8:00 p. m. Service. Rev. C. W. Erickson in charge of service.
Wed. 9 p. m. Week Day Bible school.
Friday Sept. 18 8:30 p. m. Luther League at Mr. and Mrs. Herman Burstad's.

Ev. Mission Covenant Church
St. Hilaire, Minn.
Rev. N. W. Nyberg, Pastor
Friday, Sept. 18, 8 p. m. Bible study. "Roads".
10:00 a. m. Worship and sermon: "The Yoke of Christ".
11 a. m. Bible school at the Black River Chapel.
8 p. m. Evangelist: "In the Service of the King". Special music by the string band.
Tuesday, Sept. 19, 12:30 p. m. Special musical concert by Rev. Nathaniel Carlson and daughter, Miss Violet Carlson. See news item elsewhere in this issue.
Friday, Sept. 19, 8 p. m. Bible study. "Revelation".
Saturday, Sept. 20, 10 a. m. Confirmation class enrollment for the class of 1920-40. Men and women 12 years and over are invited to enroll for this religious instruction. We have classes only every other year so we urge the parents to send their boys and girls to this year's class.

St. Hilaire N. L. Churches
St. L. Dahl's Pastor
Sunday, Sept. 19 Services.
St. Hilaire 11:10 a. m. American Sunday school at 10 a. m.
St. Pauli: Sunday 9:45. News. Class, Saturday 9:30.
Ebenzer: Services 2 p. m. American.

HAZEL WEEK-END

Mrs. Gust Gustafson underwent an appendicectomy operation at the Murey Hospital at Thief River Falls on Thursday morning.
Martha Lokken, Margaret Lokken, Mrs. Carl Alberg and Mrs. Carl Fjorstad visited with the former's mother, Mrs. John Rude, on Monday afternoon to help her celebrate her birthday anniversary that day.
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rude and Betty Ann Rude visited with the former's mother, Mrs. John Rude and brother, Chester, on Monday and they also visited with Mrs. Harry Rannum at Thief River Falls.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson and daughter, Mary Ann Hibbing, Mrs. Mary Sherva, Ethyl Mae and Grace Carlsson were Friday evening supper guests at the Ole Odegaard home.

Dinner guests at the Nels Nelson home were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Westrich and daughter, Loreta Louise, and Mrs. Manfred Stennes of Thief River Falls, Nels and Irene Walls, Mrs. Wedel, Hazel Nelson and Selma Urdahl.

Mrs. Arne Wedel attended a bridal shower in honor of the Thief Skillet in Mayfield on Monday afternoon.
Miss Nancy Hedlund visited with Mrs. Ole Odegaard on Tuesday afternoon.
Miss Phyllis Prestby returned from Fargo, N. Dak. on Friday after being employed there the past months.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Anderson spent from Tuesday until Friday at Minneapolis where they attended the State Fair.
Vivian, Velda, Fern, Shirley and Virgil Prestby returned to their home at Conkav after visiting with their aunt, Mrs. Dorothy Prestby.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rannum and Anna Alberg of Thief River Falls visited at the Carl Alberg home on Tuesday.
Erving Anderson who is employed at Lancaster spent from Saturday until Monday visiting at his parents', Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Anderson.

Mrs. Frank Peterson visited with his sister, Mrs. Anton Johnson on Tuesday.
Carl Ann Sandberg spent a week visiting at her Grand parents', Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Anderson.

Adrian Anderson and daughter, Mayne Anderson and Omar Seeland attended the Fall festival at Grygla on Saturday.
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Saturday evening visitors at the Carl Alberg home were Mrs. Martha Lokken, Margaret Lokken, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Torkelson, Geraldine, Marvin and Wanda Jean Torkelson.

Peter Gustafson spent from Saturday until Tuesday morning visiting at Fargo, N. Dak., with his daughters, Mrs. George Millette and Jeanette Guard.

Mrs. Martha Lokken left for Minneapolis on Monday after visiting her father, Tobias Stene, sisters and brothers.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR, ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

North of Hazel the past week, Matt Brumstad and baby daughter returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brumstad.

Walter Odegaard returned home from the cities on Friday evening after visiting the past two weeks with friends and relatives at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson of Hibbing spent a week visiting with the latter's sister, Mrs. Mary Sherva at St. Hilaire, and sister Mrs. Oscar Seeland. They were accompanied back home by their daughter, Mary Lou who has spent the past two weeks visiting with relatives. They were accompanied to Duluth by Ethyl Mae and Grace Carlsson who have spent their summer vacations with their uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Seeland and grandmother, Mrs. Mary Sherva.

Oscar Peterson, Mrs. Anderson, Carol visited on Thursday with Mrs. Ole Odegaard and daughter, Loreta Louise.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Anderson, Mrs. Arne Wedel and Mrs. Irene Walls, Mrs. Wedel, Hazel Nelson and Selma Urdahl.

Mrs. Adrian Anderson entertained a group of small girls to a birthday party in honor of her daughter, Selma Urdahl, on Saturday on her 6th birthday anniversary. Those present were Betty Ann Ellingson, and Shirley Odegaard, Viola and Hazel Walls, Oscar Seeland and son Omar left Monday for St. Hilaire to stay a month.

Mrs. Henry Weyrauch, Mrs. Fred Peterson and sons, Mrs. Elmer Peterson and son Tommy, Miss Selma Peterson returned Sunday to their homes in Chicago, Ill. after spending the past two weeks visiting with the former's brothers, sons, Raul and Ervin Peterson and families and sister, Mrs. Elmer Erickson and her family at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandberg and C. A. homes.

Reuben Odegaard accompanied by Harold Goethe of Thief River Falls left Wednesday for Wilmington and California where they will seek employment and also visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ordean Olson and daughter, Laura, of St. Hilaire were Tuesday dinner guests at the Ole Odegaard home.

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61 PERSONS DEAD IN AUTO TRAFFIC IN STATE IN JULY

The Minnesota highway patrol, despite its constant attempts to reduce traffic violations so far as possible, through motorist education and warning, made more than 1,200 arrests during July, a determined effort to check the increase in traffic violations.

Their efforts met with some success as evidenced by a substantial report of the accident recording bureau of the Highway department's Safety division, which showed that despite increase in traffic volume over the same month last year, July traffic deaths were lowered 6 per cent. However, it pointed out in mileage on Minnesota highways and streets, and the month's traffic death rate reached the highest mark of the year.

In his report for July, Edson Davis, chief of the patrol, recorded the following arrests for traffic violations which imperil lives: driving without license, 271; careless driving, 209; driving while drunk, 137; and, even though the intensive campaign against speeding was in progress, 371.

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BLACK RIVER

Vernon Lindquist visited on Wednesday with Dr. Manfred Dahl at Warroad.

The following were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gunnar Lindquist on Thursday: Misses Ada Gundersen and Norma Ruden and Mrs. John LaFant of Roseau and Mr. and Mrs. Benji-Johnson, Mr. and Donald and Mrs. Sofus Field of Hibbing.

The following ladies had a party honoring Mrs. Geo. Frost on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. and Mr. A. Beebe: Madames Reid Rolland, V. G. Brink, Al Brink, G. Lindquist, Harry Winter, B. E. Burke, Sever Skottem, M. G. Graham and daughter, Mary, Mrs. N. B. Beebe, Alice Skottem and Mrs. Frost honor guests. A token of remembrance was given to Mrs. Frost for her friends.

The afternoon was served by the self-serviced of Mrs. Frost left the following day to make her home at Roseau, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Landman and family spent Wednesday in Thief River Falls.

Emil Erickson and daughter Ellen of Crookston visited Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Erickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Witt and Herman, Jr., visited on Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Olson.

Saturday evening dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Jacobson were Mr. and Mrs. Benji Jacobson and Mrs. Sofus Fields of Evelev.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Olson spent Friday evening at Red Lake Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Benji Jacobson and sons, Mrs. Sofus Field and Mrs. Frank Sweet in Edinboro.

The following were Sunday visitors at the G. Lindquist home: Mr. and Mrs. Benji Jacobson and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Sofus Field and Thelma, Mrs. V. G. Brink and Thelma, Mrs. Sofus Field and Thelma, Mrs. V. G. Brink and Thelma, Mrs. Sofus Field and Thelma.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Fredrickson of Deer River visited with relatives and friends here over the week-end.

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BRAY

Mrs. Sven Thorsen and Mrs. Conrad Sande of Alberta, Canada, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Moe and son of Grand Forks were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Swanson.

Hazel and Gladys Person visited at the Emil Larson home on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schneider of Deer River came Sunday to visit at the J. O. Swanson home.

Mrs. George Swanson and Margaret were Friday afternoon visitors at the Alfred Lindquist home.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Anderson and Charles of Viking were Sunday evening visitors at the Emil Larson home.

A lawn party was given at the Gust Johnson home Sunday evening and the following guests were present: Mrs. Sven Thorsen and Mrs. Conrad Sande of Alberta, Canada, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Moe and son, Darlene, Ernest Johnson of St. Cloud, Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Brink and family, Mr. John Borgan and family, and Mrs. E. A. Ruud of Grand Forks.

Hazel Person left Monday to be employed at Crookston.

A large crowd attended the community club picnic at the Gust Johnson home Sunday. At noon a picnic dinner was served after which a program was given followed by a parade. Contestants were enjoyed everywhere. A game was played between Bray and Nund with the latter winning the game.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Erickson and family, Annie Lindholm of St. Paul returned to Appleton Sunday where they visited with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Schneider and Lester of Wylie were Sunday evening visitors at the J. O. Swanson home.

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RECENT WPA RULE HINDERS ADVANCE OF PROJECT WORK

Compliance with the act of Congress requiring the termination of all WPA projects which have been employed continuously for 18 months or longer has seriously affected the efficiency of project operations. State Administrator A. J. St. John reported that a total of 15,296 workers have been laid off as a result of the requirement, Mrs. St. John reported, making place for a special two-week survey of the state of the 18-month provision, of this number, 118 were terminated in the course of routine quota reductions in July and the balance, 15,178, laid off on and including August 31. Disadvantages comprise 85% of the total WPA employment in Minnesota.

It is felt that the application of the provisions to all relief or certain workers in the state, such as foremen, timekeepers and skilled mechanics, has cut down the efficiency, production and the ability of WPA construction projects to carry out their work.

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GAME FIELD DIVISION TO SELL SEIZED GUNS

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Some folks have never cooked electrically . . . but those who HAVE, say they wouldn't CHANGE for anything.

All WPA Employees Must Affirm Loyalty to U. S.

Under New Regulation Every WPA employee, administrative and project, signs a certificate stating that he does not believe in the overthrow of the government by force or violence.

Indigents for carrying out this new order were received today by S. L. Thilo, state administrator from Howard O. Hines, Acting Commissioner of Works and Public Works, who will be issued after September 10 to persons who have signed the statement, which reads:

"I do not now and will not at any time participate in any activity which is directed to the overthrow of the government of the United States by force or violence."

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JURORS DRAWN FOR FALL COURT TERM

Fall term of district court in Pennington county with Judge Dratland presiding, will open Monday, October 2nd of this year. The first week is usually given over to hearing of court cases, and jury cases will be heard starting a week later. Below is a list of the petit jurors who will serve at the coming term:

Name	Residence
Leonard Fred	T. R. Falls
J. P. Cole	T. R. Falls
Mrs. Ed. Iverson	Hickory
Timmer Johnson	Mayfield
John Gustad	Rockbury
Mrs. T. C. Haney	T. R. Falls
Adam Lendebja	T. R. Falls
John Schiefer	Hillbush
Rudolph Kuumack	Goodfellow
Martha Knutson	Hickory
Oden Hansen	Elberton
Mrs. Soren Knutson	Nunda
George Bugee	Nunda
Carl Lee	T. R. Falls
Richard Johnson	Star
P. Anderson	T. R. Falls
George Bok	T. R. Falls
O. M. Baboy	T. R. Falls
Lowell Bjorklund	T. R. Falls
Nate Harris	T. R. Falls
Mrs. V. J. Brink	St. Hilaire
O. K. Olson	St. Hilaire
Ludvik Herby	Cloverleaf
Mrs. Henry Klemm	Nunda
Alfred Rostad	T. R. Falls
C. G. Hildard	T. R. Falls
Carl Christensen	T. R. Falls
W. C. Bohman	Rockbury
Henry Melin	Folk Centre
John Baker	T. R. Falls

WAFLE SUPPER SATURDAY

Ladies of the M. E. Church will serve a waffle supper at Jackson's hall next Saturday, Sept. 16, starting at 5:30 and continuing all evening. Waffles, syrup, meat, loaf, cookies and coffee all for one uniform price of 25 cents.

Extracting of this season's honey crop for local apiarists will be finished in a few days at the P & B plant which has operated to capacity the past ten days.

FOR SALE—Small piano sacrifice for quick sale. Must sell at once. Can be seen in this vicinity. Write J. S. Ryan, Grand Forks, N. D.

IMPROVED FARMS FOR SALE—SW^{1/4} 1-122-46, Polk Co., 13 miles west of St. Hilaire, all acre, small buildings, partly fenced, good well, 70 acres brook, nice grove. Price \$1,000.00 with \$600 cash down or \$1,000.00 all cash. W^{1/2} 1-122-45, Pennington Co., 12 miles west of St. Hilaire. Small set of buildings, well and some fenced, 35 acres in sweet clover, balance good sheep land. Plenty of oak trees. Water can be had easily anywhere. Price \$2,000.00, half cash. Write V. M. Healy, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

For Sale—Several used horse, gasoline, wood ranges and electric ranges for sale reasonable. Red Lake Falls Co. Phone 151, 88, Thier River Falls, Minn. A18-5142

N. W. SCHOOL OPENS OCT. 2

The fall term of the Northwest School of Agriculture opened at Crookston on Monday, Oct. 2. Final preparations have been made for another record enrollment. Advance indications point to registration of more than 400 for the opening day.

CONSERVATION CAMP

Conservation is one of the activities carried on by 4-H club members. Every year one boy and one girl is selected to attend the 4-H conservation camp at Itasca State Park, Carl of Hicks of the Clover Club, and Chester Joyce of the Norden club, are winners for the trip this year from Pennington county. These two club members will spend from Friday, September 15, to Tuesday, September 19, along with Howard E. Grow, county agent, at this camp. The school opens at the very best of all 4-H club state events, and everyone that attends enjoy it immensely.

25 Years Ago

Peter Peterson, age 97 years, died at the home of his son-in-law, Halvor Hansen in Sanders.

The sawmill at Thier River Falls closed after having been in operation for twenty-five years. The plant was to be dismantled.

Rev. M. S. Gjerd and Rev. Thos. Gryting returned here after a summer trip to their former homes in Norway.

Dr. C. Swanson and A. J. Hed were among those from here attending the state fair that week.

Gust and Iver Anderson came up from Joliet, Ill., to look after their farm interests south of town. They planned to build a new house on the place that fall.

Washington Adams was putting finishing touches on his new residence located on his farm south of the village.

TO CLOSE AN ESTATE—NW^{1/4} 34 9-151-41 Red Lake Co. well water, balance all cultivated except 10 acres, grove about buildings. 6 miles east of Plumerton. Price \$1,200.00, all cash. SP^{1/2} 22-150-42, one mile south of Brooks about 100 acres, open prairie, balance brush and poplar land. Good flax production. Price \$1,200.00 cash. Terms might be arranged on either tract subject to approval of the court. L. E. Healy, Adm., Red Lake Falls, Minn. 87c

The Great Northern station at this point is to be painted and repainted this fall.

WANTED—Dead and disabled animals. We remove them promptly free of charge. We pay phone charges. Free gift along with every call. Phone 151, Red Lake Falls Rendering Company, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Vocation Is Over



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week Told in Brief News Concerning People You Know

The Luther League will meet Sunday evening at the N. L. church. Everyone cordially invited.

The Women's Club will meet Thursday evening, September 21, at the club room. We invite new members to join. Mrs. Janda, Secy.

Travis treatment of T. H. No. 32 between here and Thier River Falls where the road has been in poor condition all summer, was completed last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Mortenson, who have resided in the Elden house since summer, have taken an apartment at Thier River Falls for the winter since Mr. Mortenson is employed in that city.

The new school bus garage is rapidly nearing completion. The building is now fully occupied and will be ready for use when a door and one window are fitted, a brick chimney built, and sheathing of interior is done.

Joe Hauge and son came up Sunday from Bemidji for a brief visit with relatives. Upon returning home that evening they were accompanied by Mr. Hauge's mother, Mrs. E. L. Hauge, who will spend some time with them at Bemidji.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hauge, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hansen motored Sunday to Ulen to attend a reunion of members of the Grand family. About fifty people were present at the gathering which was held at the Mrs. S. F. Feltner home near Ulen.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Satterberg returned Tuesday of last week after accompanying Mr. and Mrs. G. Follman, Mr. and Mrs. Sig. Eigh of Minneapolis on a motor trip from Duluth along the North Shore and thru towns in the iron range country.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Roughton, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Karl Kanki, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller of Red Lake Falls, Minn., and Mrs. Carl Lehrer of Wylie, Minn., and Mrs. O. Gustad were guests last Sunday at the P. S. Erdman home.

Miss Gladys Maland has returned following a visit with relatives and friends at Minneapolis and Grand Forks.

Aivd Dahlstrom has foundation and floor in for a brick garage to be built on the rear of residence lot on Water street.

Hot waffles with syrup, and milk will be served from 5:30 and continuing all evening Saturday this week at Jackson Hall.

Mrs. Henry Sande is at Minneapolis this week taking another course of treatments. Her friends hope she will get the benefits hoped for.

Mrs. N. E. Beebe and son, Wendell, left yesterday morning for a visit with relatives at St. Paul, Mankato and Rapidan. They expect to be gone about three weeks.

Mrs. Arne Vik returned yesterday from Bethesda hospital, Crookston, where she had been a patient for six weeks after undergoing a major operation. She is gradually regaining strength and is feeling fine.

Mrs. A. C. Kvennes, nee Clara Hoff, formerly of this village, visited with friends and relatives here Sunday while en route to Minneapolis after an extended visit with friends and relatives in North Dakota.

Oh, Boy, don't forget to have Sunday of those nice, crispy waffles at Jackson Hall next Saturday evening. It doesn't pay to cook when you can get all the waffles you want—besides other good eats—all for a quarter.

The N. L. Aid will be entertained by Messdames John Lundberg, B. Rosendahl and L. F. Olson at the church parlors Sunday, Sept. 22.

Rev. M. L. Dahle, Mrs. V. G. Brink and Mrs. E. D. Jensen motored Monday to Fargo to see Mrs. Frank Sweet who had undergone an operation in a hospital there the previous Saturday. They were accompanied to Moorhead by Doris Haglund and Ruth Brink who returned to their studies at Concordia College.

SACRED CONCERT HELD

Nathaniel Carlson and daughter, Violet, concert and radio artists, presented a program of sacred music Tuesday evening at the local Evangelical Covenant church. Lunch was served by the Y. P. S. after the concert.

CONGRESS CALLED SEPT. 21

President Roosevelt has called a special session of congress for September 21st, to consider the various problems brought about by the European war. The president's proposal to lift the present embargo on arms, munitions and supplies to the warring nations, will undoubtedly meet with strenuous opposition from those opposed to this country having any part in the troubles of Europe.

BLACK RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Beebe, Mae and Marjorie Landmann and Elaine Avelon visited on Sunday at the G. Lindquist home. Mr. and Mrs. Sofus Fields and Thelma of Ebreich who have been visiting here with relatives, left Wednesday for St. Paul where they will visit with their daughter, Mrs. John Ehrhart and family for a few days before returning to their home.

Miss Myrtle Erickson of St. Paul is now enjoying a two week's vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Erickson.

Miss Effie Fredrickson commenced teaching an eight month term of school on Monday, Sept. 11, near Oklee, Minn.

Mrs. Gilbert Wick and Laura and Norris and Agnes Howland of Madock, N. Dak., visited with friends here over the week-end. They were accompanied back by Miss Ethel Wick who has spent the summer visiting friends here.

Mrs. Myrtle Avelon of Rosevelt visited over the week-end with her children Elaine and Robert Avelon at the E. I. Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hallstrom, Evangeline and Wilbur, June Naplin and Mrs. Alfred Sorvig spent the week-end at Alexandria, Minn., visiting with relatives and friends.

Miss Gladys Wiebe of Erekling, Minn., commenced teaching an eight month term of school Monday in Dist. 94.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Erickson, Grace, Marie and Myrtle motored to Grand Forks on Sunday, Grace and Myrtle remaining in Grand Forks, Grace to resume her duties as student at Acker's Business College and Myrtle to visit in the city until Tuesday when she will return home.

The following helped Miss Muriel Peterson celebrate her birthday anniversary on Sunday at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Gust Peterson: Mr. and Mrs. Alec Swanson and family, Mr. and Mrs. N. Schalls and family, Mr. Felix Anderson and Gladys, Mr. and Mrs. John

WRECK WEST OF WARROAD MONDAY

Two engineers and one fireman were killed and five other trainmen seriously injured at about daybreak Monday morning when a 60 car grain train crashed into a locomotive and caboose on the Canadian National line seven miles west of Warroad. Both engines exploded as they met, scattering their crews. An investigation revealed the engine and caboose were to have sidetracked at Middleboro to permit passage of the grain train and a mixup of orders sent them out on the main line where the grain train had right-of-way. Both were traveling at a high rate of speed at the time of the accident.

NEW CREATION

ON LAKE MINNEWASKA

Glenwood, a "best" she has never seen is quite appeared on Lake Minnewaska recently. The boat is built on pontoons and has long bullets. Above is an enclosed platform where the passengers can ride. The boat has a roller and an engine so that it can run any place on the lake. The owners and designer are Art Smithson and C. A. Hansen of Glenwood and Tom Barbois of Enderlin, N. D.

Electricity Once Not Classified

In 1890 electricity was so little understood that there was not even a classification in the patent acts for electrical devices.

Stieger and family, Miss Hazel Adolphson and Mr. and Mrs. C. Kruse and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bergquist and family, motored to Detroit Lakes on Sunday.

Mrs. Beatrice Ostmo of Thier River Falls commenced teaching a term of school in Dist. No. 99 on Monday.

Drupy, a term of Argyle spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Vande-Streek.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jensen of Crookston visited on Sunday at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Naplin.

Dance!

at the

DO-DROP INN

ST. HILAIRE

Tuesday, Sept. 16

Musical by

"Tex" and his Branch

KFYM Concert Orchestra

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

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Wise motorists from coast-to-coast choose Fire-Chief gasoline. They know this—at the price you can't buy a better gasoline. Be thrifty. Choose Fire-Chief for the economy. And enjoy it for its brilliant, lively power. Its quicker starts. Drive in!

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ChurchesSt. Hilaire N. L. Churches
M. L. Dahl, Pastor
Sunday Sept. 17th, St. Hilaire,
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Services at 10 a. m. Norse.
Luther League 9 p. m.
Religious instruction every
Wednesday 7:30-11.Confirmation class Saturday
at 9:30.
Clearwater, Communion service,
11:10 a. m. Offering to budget.
Oak Ridge, Sunday school picnic
at 2 o'clock.
Bismarck, Harvest festival, Oct.
1st, Reformation day.
Clearwater 9:30.
St. Paul, Class Saturday at 2 p. m.Clearwater Aid at David Hen-
rich's Sept. 21st.
St. Paul, St. Paul Lutheran League Sunday
night at 8:30.
Augustana Lutheran Churches
H. A. Larson, Pastor
Saturday 9 a. m. Confirmation
class.
Sunday 2:00 p. m. Sunday school
2:00 p. m. Service.
Friday, Sept. 22, 8:00 p. m. Lu-
ther League at Mr. and Mrs. Al-
fred Hallstrom's.Farm, St. Hilaire, Sunday 9:30
a. m. Service, 10:30 a. m. Sunday
school.
Tuesday 8:00 p. m. Bible class
and Prayer meeting at the church.
Thursday 8:00 p. m. St. Paul Lu-
ther League at Mr. and Mrs. C.
O. Swanson's. Program by Black
River church Luther League.
Friday, Sept. 16, 2:00 p. m.
Junior Mission Band at Mr. and
Mrs. Elmer Carlson's.
Clear, Hazel, Friday 8:30 p. m.
Luther League at Mr. and Mrs.
Herman Burstad's.Sunday 10:00 a. m. Sunday
school, 11:00 a. m. Service.
Wednesday Sept. 20, 8:00 p. m.
Meeting of the congregation.St. Hilaire
Ev. Mission Covenant Church
Roy N. Wiborg, Pastor
Res. 410 S. St. Paul Ave.,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phone 1045-W
Friday, Sept. 15th
8:00 P. M.Bible Study, "Leviticus"
Come along to these services
It will do you much good to
study the Word of God.
Saturday, Sept. 16th
2:30 P. M., enrollment for the
Confirmation class of 1899-
40. All young men and women
from 12 years and up are invit-
ed to enroll.
Sunday, Sept. 17th
10 A. M. Worship and ser-
mon.10:45 A. M. Bible school.
They also held school at
Black River Chapel.
1:30 P. M. We are sched-
uled to broadcast over radio
station KFIM (Grand Forks).
Be at the studio by 4 P. M.
No evening service.Card of Thanks
Sincere thanks and heartfelt
appreciation to all of our neigh-
bors and friends for their many
acts of kindness to us during the
last illness and after the
death of our beloved wife and
mother. Especial thanks to Rev.
Larson for his comforting
sermon; to those who sang, and
to all who contributed the beau-
tiful flowers. Elmer Johnson
and family.HAZEL
Dolores Bohnd is attending
high school at Fraxze this year.The Cheeverville school with
Miss Norma Orloff as teacher,
opened Monday with three be-
ginners. Curtis Holm, Edna
Dale Netteland and Reuben
Finstad.A large number of Clara
folks motored out to the John
Scholin farm in Black River
Friday evening to attend the
Luther League.The Clara Luther League will
meet at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Herman Burstad on Fri-
day evening, September 15th.
Messengers Carl Peterson, Elmer
Peterson, Frank Peterson, John
Peterson, Bengt Peterson, Elmer
Erickson are hostesses.Mr. and Mrs. Martin Finstad,
Helm, Finstad and son Ren-
den Finstad, Norman A. d
Henry Nelson, Elder Urdahl
were Sunday visitors at the
Carl Albergh home.Katherine and Mable Bohne,
Irene, Hazel and Viola Walls
visited with Gladys Nelson at
the Pete Nelson home on Sun-
day.Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walls,
sons Carl and James, Nick and
Kate Walls and baby Jerry
motored Sunday to St. Thomas,
N. Dak., to visit at the farm-
er's son, Ed. Walls and family.The three latter remained for
a longer stay. The former re-
turned home the same evening.
Miss Anna Albergh of Thief
River Falls is a house guest of
Mrs. Ole Odegard this week.Mrs. Harold Bjerk and Anna
Albergh of Thief River Falls and
Mrs. Anna Grying of Boulding
Green, Ohio, were Monday vis-
itors at the Carl Albergh and
Ole Odegard home.Mr. Al Bergstad of Eveleth
is visiting her brothers, Henry
and Erick Erickson.
Mr. and Mrs. Archie LaCour-
stierre of Olive visited at the
Herman Sandberg home on
Wednesday.Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sand-
berg, Betty Lou, Jean and Roger
Sandberg and Mrs. Ingrid
Sandberg spent Sunday at the
Archie LaCourstierre home at
Olive, Mrs. Ingrid Sandberg
remained at the LaCourstierre
home after spending the past three
weeks with her son, Herman
Sandberg and family.Erling Anderson left Sunday
for Norway, Minn. where he will
be employed on the railroad.
Nervy Eare and Eoderick
Johnson left Friday for St.
Peter where they attend Gus-
tavs Adolphus college.
Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegard
and Ole Peterson motored Sun-day to Hawley for a visit with
relatives. They also held the
latter's brother, Halvor Peter-
son, celebrate his birthday an-
niversary.
Mr. and Mrs. LeVoy Rude of
Karstad visited at the Herman
Rude home on Wednesday.Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sjovald
and daughter and Miss Ina
Sjovald, west of Thief River
Falls visited at the Henry
Sjovald home on Sunday.Sunday visitors of the Adrian
Anderson home were Mr. and
Mrs. Peter Vik and Phoebe
Anderson of Thief River Falls,
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sandberg
and children.Miss Aris Bergstad, who
teaches at Bagley spent the
week-end visiting with his un-
cles Henry and Erick Erickson
and with her mother, Mrs. Al
Bergstad.Hazel school reopened on
Monday with an enrollment of
27 pupils. Hazel school is at
Thief River Falls is teacher.
Mr. and Mrs. Martin K. El-
lingstad and children Betty Ann
and Mayo Ellingston accompa-
nied by John E. Peterson
motored Saturday to Gary to
spend the week-end visiting
with relatives.Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rose
motored Friday to Red Lake
Falls to visit with Mrs. Agnes
Rose.Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holm-
stad, Hazel and Viola Walls
evening visitors at the Theo-
dore Johnson home.PLOW TURNS UP
LONG-LOST PURSELittle Falls.—The John Blais
family in Granite Lodge township
had a pleasant surprise recently
when one of the Blais boys
prowled up a purse lost three
years ago.The purse was a small black
book was intact, and the \$5.00 in
the purse had gummed itself in-
to one solid piece of paper. Mrs.
Blais turned the money into the
bank at Foley, from where it was
forwarded to Washington and in
return the Blais family will re-
ceive eight new one dollar bills.Lynstrata
Lynstrata was a Greek matron
made to and the long war between
Athens and Sparta, persecuted
the women of Athens to desert their
husbands until none would be de-
clared.FARMS ARE SELLING! PRICES ARE RISING!
BUY NOW!
Located 17 miles southwest of Thief River Falls on
dirt road. About half balance pasture and some
mowdown. Has a good flowing well and a
fairly good barn, no other buildings. Should be
desirable as a stock buy.FOR FURTHER INFORMATION—WRITE
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FLORAL ORDERS GIVEN PROMPT ATTENTIONBRYAY
Mr. and Mrs. Herman
Schneider and family, and
Mrs. J. O. Swanson called on
relatives at Wylie Monday.Thursday evening a family
picnic at the Crookston park.
Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs.
John Scholin and family, Mr.
and Mrs. Victor Scholin and
family, August Scholin and
family, Mr. and Mrs. LeVoy
Scholin and son, Mr. and Mrs.
J. E. Johnson and sons, and
Laura Anderson of this vicin-
ity, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Stam-
m and family, Mr. and Mrs.
Andrew Stauning, Mr. and Mrs.
Andrew Olson and Ethel, Mr.
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Sept. 22.Dinner guest at the N. P.
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Marlene Dress of St. Hilaire,
and Mrs. Conrad Sande of Al-
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Joyce visited Sunday evening
at the George Swanson home.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mosbeck
and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Melin
visited relatives in Glen Sun-
day afternoon.School opened in Dist. 69
Monday morning with Miss
Ivanette Thyrus as teacher.
Miss Elina Scholin left Monday
for Dist. 154 where she will
teach for the coming year.Manual Signs, Signed
The unusual sign which indicates
that when two mechanical parts are
written on one shaft half of the in-
struments should play the upper
part and the other half the lower.
When two instruments should play
the same note, the sign, a dot, is
used.Aug. 20-Sept. 7-34
Order for Reading on Thief and
Patton for Distribution
State of Minnesota
County of Hennepin
In Re Estate of Donald Hanson, De-
ceased.
The representative of the above named
estate hereby gives notice that the
same will be sold at public auction
on the 2nd day of September, 1934,
at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the
Court in the Probate Court room in
the City of Minneapolis, Minnesota,
the following real estate, to-wit: The
following real estate owned by the
said estate as provided by law.
Dated, Aug. 15, 1934.
J. P. ANDERSON, Notary Public.

Linking the countryside with the nation's large consuming
markets, the Canadian grain elevator is the indispensable link—no
dependable in and out of the summer, that its
almost perfect functioning is taken for granted.

Canadian Grain Rates

Railroads serving the wheat-producing states of
the Northwest sometimes are charged with being
unfair to the farmers because their grain rates are
higher than those of the Canadian railroads.

Why is it that the Great Northern cannot
carry grain for as low a rate as the Canadian
lines?

The explanation is that the Canadian
government paid its railroads—and continues
to pay them—to carry wheat at low rates.

Canada adopted this policy because the government
regarded it as necessary to attract settlers to
western Canada.

The Canadian government aided the construction
of the privately-owned Canadian railroad by giving
it \$25,000,000 in cash, 25,000,000 acres of land,
certain completed lines of railroad, and perpetual
tax concessions.

Then, about forty years ago, the Canadian govern-
ment made a contract with the railroad, granting
additional cash subsidies and lands, and providing
for a further reduction in grain rates.

And, of course, the government-owned Canadian
railroad has maintained the same rates as the
privately-owned system, but the taxpayer's share
of the government's cost—\$54,000,000 for the one
year, 1933—was paid by the Canadian taxpayers!

The Great Northern, on the other hand,
was built through the Dakotas and to the
Pacific Coast without any assistance from the
government of any kind—no cash subsidies—
no land grants—no tax concessions.

For each mile of railroad the Great Northern
operates, it is obliged to pay more than four
times as much taxes as the Canadian lines!

TAXES PER MILE OF LINE
Canadian Government-Owned System \$ 240
Canadian Privately-Owned System - - \$ 255
GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY - - - \$1,042

If the Great Northern's taxes last year had
been reduced to the level of the Canadian
railways, on condition that the difference be
applied wholly to a reduction of freight rates,
farmers could have shipped their wheat at
LESS THAN HALF RATES!

Great Northern Railway

Some folks
have never cooked
electrically... but
those who HAVE,
say they wouldn't
CHANGE
for anything.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

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AAA ELECTIONS EARLY IN OCTOBER

Pennington county farmers early next month will elect the community and county committees who will administer their Agricultural Conservation Program during the coming year.

Plans for the balloting will be made at a meeting of county and community committees at the courtroom in Thief River Falls, September 27, at 1 P. M. All elections will be completed by October 15. All farm operators will be notified at least five days in advance of the place and time of voting.

In each precinct, three community committees and two alternates will be elected. County committee delegates will be named and they, in turn, will choose a county committee of three members.

All members of the Pennington county agricultural conservation association may vote. Association members are persons cooperating in participating in any current AAA program and all persons who have interests in farms in the county who write in writing on a form prescribed by the AAA, their intentions of participating or cooperating in any such program.

Hans Anton, chairman of the county committee, urges that all farmers eligible to take part in these elections. "This is an agricultural program that is administered by farmers," he said. "These farmers are elected by other farmers—their neighbors. We have here the facilities for using democratic processes to elect the men best fitted for the job are elected."

"It's to the interest of every farmer to vote. Vote as you please, but vote," Mr. Anton said.

4-H FAIR AT RED LAKE FALLS

Red Lake Falls is making great preparation for the Red Lake County 4-H Club Fair to be held in that city Friday and Saturday of this week. Many prizes will be awarded to winners of the different contests to be staged. There will be live stock judging, parades, horse races, band concerts and various other forms of amusement and entertainment during the two days. The fair will be held at the county fairgrounds, and there will be no admission charged either at the gates or inside the grounds. The affair will wind up with a free dance to 4-H club members and their parents at the Community Hall Saturday evening. Many Club members from this section are planning to attend.

Subscriptions:—Have subscription agency for all magazines, and would appreciate greatly receiving your order for renewals when due. Eva L. Johnson, City.

FOR SALE—Small piano sacrifice for quick sale. Must be paid by phone charge. Free gift at once. Can be seen in this vicinity. Write J. S. Ryan, Grand Forks, N. D.

RED CROSS MEETING

A meeting of the St. Hilaire Branch of the Red Cross will be held at Jackson hall Monday evening, Sept. 25, at 8 o'clock. Reports will be given and collection of officers held. Anyone who paid membership last fall is entitled to attend this meeting and is urged to do so.

RECEIVE CURRENT BID

The Red Lake County Rural Electric association has received and accepted an offer of 1-1/2 cents per kilowatt for supplying current to proposed lines in Red Lake, Pennington and Marshall counties, the bid being made by Northern States Power Co. The offer was submitted to the Rural Electrification administration at Washington for approval. The bid is approved by REA, funds for building the distribution lines will be released and construction work will probably get under way during late fall or coming winter.

Peteron-Wumpfheimer

Yesterday morning at the local Norwegian Lutheran parsonage occurred the marriage of Randolph C. Peteron to Miss Edith Wumpfheimer, both residents of Polk county in Euclid community. Rev. M. L. Dahl officiated at the service, and witnesses were Edw. Solvig and Miss Alice Wumpfheimer, the latter a sister of the bride.

25 Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Aldrich of Bemidji were moving into the Central House to re-open it after it had been closed for many months.

Miss Jackson, who was employed as a stenographer at the Adair sawmill until it closed, returned home that week.

S. J. Amble and A. Belden improved their residences by moving them back from the walk and adding new porches.

John Morgan received appointment that week from President Wilson to the postmaster at Thief River Falls.

Ole Matheson completed his new stock pen and was getting in stock.

Wm. Davis, son of a former section foreman at Hazel, was killed by a Sno freight a mile north of Plummer. He had attempted to board the fast moving train and was thrown beneath it.

Spruce Cultivation

Spruces are planted systematically by attaching fertile clippings from mature spruces to small concrete discs that are placed on the floor of the area and left to grow. Time and space do the rest.

WANTED—Dead and disabled animals. We remove them promptly free of charge. We make pay phone charge. Free gift with every call. Phone 151. Red Lake Falls Rendering Company, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

The Thrill of a Lifetime



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Some much needed gravel was spread on some of the village streets last week.

The school board met in regular monthly session at the school office Tuesday evening.

The vaillie supper given by the M. E. ladies at Jackson's hall last Saturday evening was very well attended.

Several men from this vicinity were engaged in clearing brush and weeds from along county and state aid roads around the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kie plan to leave soon to spend the winter months in Florida and other southern states after having spent the summer here at the John A. Hansen home.

After visiting a week here with their relatives, Oliver and Arthur Johnson, accompanied by their mother, Mrs. Swan Johnson, have returned to their home at Turlock, Calif.

Max Wilson, who travels for a local manufacturing company located at Owatonna, was here yesterday for brief visits at the homes of his sister, Mrs. A. W. Brink, and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hall returned here Sunday from Albert Lea to be present for funeral services held Monday for Mrs. Carl Johnson. After visiting briefly at the Harry Winter home and with other friends, they left Monday afternoon for home.

The well drilling outfit engaged in sinking a well in the west part of town, has been compelled to abandon the first hole drilled after going down 200 feet without striking water. In the second hole, a small pocket was struck. The having very little pressure, the gas burned brightly.

A northbound motorist, apparently under the influence of liquor, collided with a post guarding the creek bridge in front of the Henry Olson residence Monday night. Right hand side of the car and a fender were badly damaged, but the motorist escaped injury except for a couple small cuts.

Card of Thanks

I wish to express my deepest gratitude to my many friends, neighbors and relatives for the beautiful floral and spiritual offerings, and kindness shown to me in the recent death of my beloved mother. Eva L. Johnson.

Ultima Thule was the earliest Roman designation for the northernmost part of the world capable of human habitation.

LOUIS RETAINS TITLE

Joe Louis, the Brown Bomber, retained his world's heavy-weight championship by knocking out Bob Foster in the eleventh round of a scheduled 20 round bout at Briggs Stadium in Detroit, Mich., last night. Local fans kept close to their radios expecting to hear a broadcast of real action, but the fight was comparatively tame throughout.

CONGRESS CONVENES TODAY

The special session of Congress called by President Roosevelt to consider change of the present neutrality law, got under way in Washington, D. C. today. The President disclosed his intention of addressing congress some time during the day to outline his plans.

SCHOOL BOARD PROCEEDINGS

The Board of Education of School Dist. 102 held its regular meeting at the high school building on Sept. 19, 1939 and was called to order by the chairman, Mrs. E. Hanson at 8 P. M. Members present: Hanson, Jackson, Larson, Holmes and Supt. Graham. Members absent: Brink and Beebe.

Minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved. Motion made by Jackson and seconded by Larson that the following bills be allowed:

St. Hilaire Telephone Co., toll bill \$17.30
Scott, Foreman & Co., text books 29.12
S. Y. Gillan Co., attendance records 2.87
Northwestern Paper Co., 2 cys. gas 6.75
H. W. Wilson Co., library supplies 2.25
Northern States Power Co., lights & power 5.84
Bemington Band Co., 17 side chairs 68.10
M. A. Highland, freight and labor 4.40
Ruel Holland, labor 4.00
M. H. Jackson, janitor supplies 29.35
O. Gustaf, liability insurance premium and legal service 75.41
A. Hanson, liability insurance premium 47.66
Motion carried.

Motion made by Larson and seconded by Jackson that the bus drivers salaries be set at \$55.00 per month for coming year. Motion carried.

Motion made by Holmes and seconded by Larson that the following teachers be granted a \$5.00 per month raise for the school year: C. Berquist, R. Wolke, M. R. Graham, M. Erickson and A. Mills. Motion carried.

No further business, motion for adjournment carried.
H. L. HOLMES, Clerk.
Mrs. Eleanor Hanson, President.

SERVICES HELD FOR MRS. CARL JOHNSON

Death removed another of the pioneer citizens of this village when Mrs. Carl Johnson died at her home here early Saturday morning after an illness of long duration. More than a year ago she suffered a stroke which left her bedridden following which her health gradually declined.

Mrs. Carrie Johnson, nee Gustaf, was born near Oslo, Norway on June 12th, 1859 and was 80 years, 3 months and 4 days of age at the time of her demise. She came with her parents, brothers and sisters to this country in 1889, the trip in a sailing vessel across the Atlantic taking eleven weeks at that time. The family settled near Blue Earth, Minn., where she was married to Carl Johnson in 1882. They resided on a farm near Waseca until 1888 when they moved to Wells. In 1891 they moved to St. Hilaire which area has been the family home. Mrs. Johnson and daughters, Nora and Lilly, all preceded their wife and mother in death, and Mrs. Johnson was the last of eleven brothers and sisters. She was survived by one daughter, Eva, of this village.

From early days the Johnson home always was a gathering place for young people of the village, and Mrs. Johnson will be sadly missed by all who knew her.

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon by Rev. M. L. Dahl at the Johnson home at 1:30 and at 2 o'clock at the Norwegian Lutheran church, the arrangements being in charge of Carl B. Larson of Thief River Falls. Acting as pallbearers were A. Satterberg, A. Belden, O. Gustaf, Orsted Olson, Richard Larson and Leonard Holman. Many beautiful floral tributes, expressions of love and esteem from friends far and near, were in evidence at the church. Interment was made in the family plot at the cemetery east of the village.

BUYS MIDDLE RIVER PAPER

Harold Nelson, formerly with the Star and Warlock, has bought the Middle River Record and is greatly improved that paper.

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MANY STATE FARMS SOLD

RURAL CREDIT DEPARTMENT SELLS 23 FARMS IN PENNINGTON COUNTY SINCE JANUARY FIRST

Rural Credit Department this week reported to up to September 15th, 23 Rural Credit Farms have been sold in Pennington County, leaving 132 farms owned by the Department in this county. The Department has set a sales quota for itself of 20% of the farms on hand at the first of the year to be sold this year. In Pennington County 74% of the quota has been reached. Located in the Thief River Falls Area, which is comprised of three counties, Pennington County is one of the leaders in the matter of farm sales in this area.

With 3,886 farms over the whole state on hand on January first, and a quota of 777 farms to be sold this year, the Department has sold 543 farms up to this date. The Department of Rural Credit feels that with the cooperation of the citizens in each county who are interested in having these farms owned, farms returned to the tax rolls, there is little doubt but that the established quota will be reached and perhaps exceeded by the end of the year.

MINISTERS WIFE DIES

Paula Isabel Cooke, age 69, wife of Rev. E. A. Cooke, of Thief River Falls, died Friday night in a Thief River Falls hospital after an illness of about six months.

Born July 16, 1870 at Emma, Minn., she was married in 1890 to Mr. Cooke and with him resided in a number of places in Minnesota before coming about eight years ago to Thief River Falls where he is pastor of the Methodist church, also serving in some outlying towns including St. Hilaire.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Cooke is survived by a brother, Everett Lassall of Spring Valley, Minn., and a sister, Mrs. Grace Foster of St. Paul.

Rev. Arthur Dinklage of Detroit Lakes, district Methodist superintendent, and several other ministers at Thief River Falls, which were attended by many members of the local M. E. church, and also at burial rites at Lakewood cemetery in Minneapolis Tuesday morning.

A farewell party was given Friday evening at the Julia home in honor of Miss Ellen Janda, who left Monday to enter the state university to enroll for a course in nursing. About twenty friends were present at the party and spent a most enjoyable evening. Miss Janda was presented a suitable gift as a token of remembrance by her friends.

German slang
The German word which is a slang expression meaning nonsense.

Use of U. S. Flag
The United States flag should not be used in any form of advertising.

CHOSEN FOR CHOIR

Mary Jane Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Thos. Johnson, of Hazel, has been chosen as a member of the Gustavus Adolphus College capella choir under the direction of Professor G. Adolph Nelson. Final tryouts were completed last week and regular rehearsal of the forty-six carefully selected voices has begun in preparation for this year's concert.

FARM PROGRAM ELECTIONS TO BE HELD NEXT WEEK

All committee men working with the Agricultural Conservation Program attended a county meeting Wednesday, September 27, at which time the plans of the 1910 program were discussed. The one thing that was prominent at this time is the election of committee men to administer the program for this year. The chairman of the county committee, County election meetings will be held in each community during the week of October 2. These committee men, two alternate committee men, and one delegate to the county meeting will be chosen.

The schedule of meetings are as follows:
Monday, October 2, Rockbury, Civic and Commerce Club Room.
Tuesday, Oct. 3, Deer Park and Hickory, London school; Ray & Polk Centre, Lattimer school; Norden & Nunda, Dimmen school.

Wednesday, Oct. 4, Star & Rehn, Kompen school; Black River & River Falls, Jackson hall; North, Civic and Commerce Club room; Sully, Sully hall.

Thursday, Oct. 5, Highland, Appleton school; Sanders, Rex school; Silverton, Town Hall; Friday & Cloverleaf, Gymnasium.

Friday, October 6, Wyandotte & Mayfield, Janssen School. All meetings are scheduled to start at 8 p.m. The delegates to the county meeting will meet at the county agent's office Monday evening, October 5, to elect the county committee.

The committee started at these meetings will administer the 1910 program, and every farmer should vote for the men that he believes are best qualified for the job. The important thing is to vote, concludes Mr. Anton.

Sundholm-Beatty
Miss Marjorie Beatty Sundholm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Sundholm, was married to Walter Beatty, son of Mrs. Ethel Beatty of Crookston, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of the First Presbyterian church at Crookston with Rev. F. J. Hibbard officiating.

The bride wore an autumn gown of powdered blue with mulberry accessories. She was attended by Miss Bernice Johnson who was the groom's attendant. Both attendants were former schoolmates of the bride who graduated last June from Lafayette high school.

Following the wedding reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beatty expect to make their home at Crookston—Red Lake Falls Gazette.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Hans Sande, Sr., has been assisting with work the past week on his farm west of Thief River Falls.

Paul Roy went Monday morning to Thief River Falls to attend a meeting of the county voters board.

G. M. Bruce, D. D., and R. M. Bruce, D. D., of St. Paul will speak in churches of the local Norwegian Lutheran charge next Sunday.

Robert Black, former local assessor, was recently appointed a member of the police force at Thief River Falls, taking over the duties last week.

Mike Highland is preparing to build an addition to his Standard service station. To be built adjoining south side of the station, the building will be for garage purposes.

The fax fiber mill at Red Lake Falls is operating on double shift. A certain portion of the product turned out to be being shipped east to be used in manufacture of cigarette paper.

Small game hunting licenses are available at this office for accommodation of people in this locality. Duck stamps, however must be purchased at the county seat.

Water has been struck in the new well being drilled near the Ortloff place on Minnesota avenue. The supply is being tested to determine whether or not it is adequate for all purposes.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peterson, and Mrs. Anton Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. John Gustafson motored Tuesday to east of St. Paul to attend funeral services for a friend of many years standing, Oliver Mostad, who died Friday at a Thief River hospital.

L. E. Healy of Red Lake Falls returned this week from a trip to the vicinity of Regina in Saskatchewan, Canada. His statements on that way are exceedingly bad since no crops have been raised there during past ten years because of drought.

Arrid Dahlstrom has the walls up for a new brick garage which he is erecting in the rear of his residence.

Mrs. M. R. Graham has entered a Crookston hospital to undergo an operation. Friends hope for her speedy recovery.

Marvin Olmest is able to be about again after being confined to bed several weeks by an attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Mrs. H. H. Behrens returned Monday to her home at LeCroy, Wis., after being called here during the last stages of her acute Mrs. Carl Johnson.

The new school bus garage was completed and put into use this week. There is ample room in the building for three large sized buses as well as the county snow plow.

Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Kles plan to leave tomorrow after having spent the summer months here, to spend a short time at their home in Chicago before going to Florida for the winter.

Rev. M. L. Dahle motored to Warroad for a short visit with Rev. C. E. Manford Dahle. The latter is being kept busy with his practice at both Warroad and Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Graham returned Sunday from a week-end trip to visit relatives at Bertha, Minn. They were accompanied here by Mrs. Graham's mother, Mrs. Zimmerman, who will spend a couple weeks here.

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CHICKEN DINNER OCT. 3

The N. L. Ladies Aid will give a chicken dinner, Friday, October 6 at the church, parsonage. The menu will consist of fried chicken, Swiss steak, buttered carrots and peas, cranberries and pickles, ice cream, wafers and coffee. The price is 25 cents, and a charge of 15 cents for pre-school children.

DUCK SEASON OPENS SUNDAY

The duck hunting season opens Sunday, October 1st, to continue to and including November 14 with hunting permitted between the hours of 7:00 A. M. and 4:00 P. M. daily. There will be no open season in this county for Hungarian partridges, ruffed grouse or partridge, quail and pheasants all the hunting of these species will be permitted in other parts of the state. There is no open season on white breasted grouse or prairie chickens this year.

ANNUAL RAM SALE

The annual Ram Sale and Exchange will be held at the county fair grounds, on Monday, October 16, from 10:00 A. M. to 4:00 P. M. daily. The sale of all purebred rams. The name to be offered for sale will all be supplied by local breeders.

W. E. Morris, extension livestock specialist from University Farm will be present to assist with the sale and discuss some phases of sheep production.

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25 Years Ago

An epidemic of hog cholera was creating havoc among hogs in this locality. Some raisers reported loss of all their hogs.

Sewer Hoff returned after spending a short time on his claim near Littlefork.

An election was called for Nov. 8th, to vote on whether or not the county should erect a hospital at Thief River Falls.

Miss Ruth Roy left for Grand Forks to attend the University of North Dakota.

A newly completed farmers' elevator was opened for business that week at Brooks on the Soo southeast of here.

The European war was well under way. Daily papers carried streamer headlines every day about the conflict just as they are doing in 1919.

DAVID COLLINS, FORMER RESIDENT, DIED SEPT. 15TH

David Collins, formerly of this village and for the past 29 years a resident of Warroad, died Friday, September 15, at the Budd hospital at Roseau. He had been ailing for some time and on Sept. 1st entered the hospital and underwent an operation next day for appendicitis. Complications set in from which he failed to rally.

Funeral services were held on Monday, Sept. 18, from St. Mary's Catholic church at Warroad with Father Shanahan officiating, and interment was in the family plot at Thief River Falls where others of the family are buried.

Mr. Collins was born in England, April 5, 1871 and was 38 years of age at the time of his demise. At the age of fifteen years he came to Canada and in 1888 located at Crookston to engage in the lumbering business. The opening of the sawmill here in 1897, Mr. Collins and family moved here and established a photographic gallery which he operated until they moved to Warroad in 1904. During the years here, he specialized in kodak finishing work, being a member of the Iowa, Collins Cross Company which operated here at that time.

Besides his wife, Mr. Collins is survived by four children: Mrs. E. Dopke of Detroit, Mich.; Edward of International Falls; John and Arthur of Warroad, and by three grandchildren. One daughter, Marie, preceded him in death.

With snow reported to have fallen at Albert Lea and other points in the southern part of the state, and also up along the border and in Canada, the mercury took a sudden drop here Sunday. Killing frosts occurred both that and Monday night, followed by a cold, drizzling rain Tuesday. All served as reminders that it was time to lay in fuel for coming of winter.

Funeral of Gettysburg
"Historical Collection of Pennsylvania" (Sherman Day, published in 1862, mentions that Gettysburg, county seat of Adams county, was laid out by James Gettys, the proprietor, a few years previous to the organization of the county in 1860.

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AT THE Churches

Mission Congregational Church

Roy N. Wilberg, Pastor

Sunday, Sept. 30, 1 P. M.

Confirmation class.

Sunday, Oct. 1

10 A. M., worship and sermon, "The Real Temple."

10:45 A. M., Bible school.

11 A. M., Bible school at Black River church.

100% attendance, Banner School contest is on.

This Friday, Sept. 28, 8 P. M., Y. P. S. at Chris Krue home.

Friday, Oct. 6, 8 P. M., business meeting of the church.

St. Hilaire N. L. Churches

M. D. Dahl, Pastor

Sunday, Oct. 1st, Harvest festival in the following churches.

St. Hilaire 11 a. m. Dr. G. M. Bruce from our Synodary will preach.

Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Class Saturday, 9:30 a. m.

St. Pauli, 11 a. m. Dr. C. E. Naplin will preach. Offering to Budget. Dinner at church.

Afternoon session, Dr. G. M. Bruce will speak.

Class, Sat. at 2 p. m.

Bonesaw, 11 a. m. Rev. T. C. Heston from Holt preached. Norwegian, offering to budget. Dinner at church.

Afternoon session, 2 P. M. Mrs. E. F. Fjeld will speak.

Class, Saturday 9:30.

Clearwater Sunday 9:15 American.

Oct. 6th at Carl Kalesch.

Augustana Lutheran Church

H. A. Larson, Pastor

Black River, Saturday 9:30 a. m.

Confirmation class, 2:00 p. m.

Junior Mission Band at the church.

Sunday 3 p. m. Sunday school, 3:00 p. m. service.

Tuesday, Oct. 8, 2:30 p. m. Women's Missionary Society, Meeting at the church.

Friday, Oct. 8th Harvest Festival, Congregational Supper at 4:00 p. m. Program at 8 p. m.

Thurs. St. Hilaire, Friday 2:30 Ladies aid at Mrs. Richard Larson's residence. E. Larson and August Swenson entertain.

Sunday 9:30 a. m. Service, 10:30 a. m. Sunday school, 8:00 p. m. Junior Mission Band service.

Tuesday 8:00 p. m. Bible class and prayer meeting at the parsonage.

Class, Hail: Sunday 10:00 a. m. Sunday school, 11 a. m. Service, Thursday Oct. 10, 1:30 p. m. Luther League at Walter Swanson's.

HAZEL

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rude and daughter, Betty Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandberg were guests at the Martha Loken home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sandberg and daughter, Patricia Sandberg were Tuesday evening visitors at the Albert Carlson home.

Miss Joane Wedul of Graceland, Vernon Wedul, who attends Moorhead Teachers College, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Waal and daughter, Marilyn of Thief River Falls, Hans Waal and Martin Wedul were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnt Wedul.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wallin and children were Sunday visitors at the Hans Nyland home in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Ole Odegard and Miss Anna Ahlberg visited on Tuesday of last week at the Oscar Peterson home.

Miss Joyce Rose spent the week-end with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Julien of Fort Frances, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson, Octavia, Jerome and Anna Larson were Sunday evening callers at the Herman Sandberg home.

Mrs. Mary Bartoletti of Crookston spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her father, Charles Wallin and family and with her daughter, who is staying at the Walls home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnt Wedul were also attended a party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Marjorie Stenness at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Paul Stenness in Garnes on Sunday.

Theodore Johnson motored Friday to Grand Forks, N. Dak. He was accompanied down by his mother, Mrs. Ida Johnson, who has spent the past month at the Ted Johnson home.

Mrs. Anna Kuvling and daughter Nina of Thief River Falls spent Tuesday at the Peter Thune home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegard were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Aas at Gully.

Mrs. Carl Albert and children and Henry Nelson visited Wednesday at the Carl Finstad home.

Mrs. Finstad was home for a week from the Oakland Park Sanitarium returning there today.

Alfred Arne of Thief River Falls accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Maunel Hanson of Grygla who has been staying at the Arne home, motored Sunday to Grygla to get a son of the Hanson's who with his mother and sister and brother will stay at Arne's for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peten visited Tuesday evening visitors at the Adrian Arne home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lappe and children of Thief River Falls, Mrs. Martha Loken and daughter, Margit, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Albert and family, and Mrs. Liv Finstad were Saturday evening guests at the Herman Rude home in honor of Mrs. Rude's birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Ole Odegard visited with Mrs. Mike Highland at St. Hilaire on Monday afternoon.

Evelyn Nelson who is employed at the Andrew Mortenson home spent a few days visiting with her sister, Mrs. Nels Nelson.

Mrs. Adrian Anderson and Mrs. Nels Nelson spent from Friday until Sunday evening visiting at Lancaster with old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wallin and son Jimmy Wallin motored Sunday to St. Thomas, N. D. to spend the day at the former's son, Ed Wallin's home.

They were accompanied home the same evening by their grandson, Jerry Wallin.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Thune visited at the Ole Odegard home on Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Wallin and Irene Bartoletti visited Monday evening at the Ole Odegard home.

Mrs. Oscar Odegard and daughter, Shirley Odegard attended a birthday party on Friday in honor of Mrs. Godfred Larson in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Carl Albert, Helen Stanley and Ole Albert and daughter, Mary, visited Wednesday evening of last week at the Andrew Arne home.

Mrs. Kenrud and daughter, Mrs. Amundson and nephew, Mrs. Maynard of Mayville visited Wednesday evening of last week at the Andrew Arne home.

Mrs. Kenrud is the same day returning home the same day. Mrs. Kenrud is Mrs. Hanson's daughter.

The Clara Luther League meets Thursday evening, Oct. 1st at the home of Walter Swanson.

At Sunday morning services at the Lutheran Church the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weckwerth was christened.

Three young people in the present class at the Lutheran church were baptized. They were Betty Jane and Elton Dawyne Bremner and Irene Lorraine Brette.

At supper services at the Clara Luther League the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ronkison was christened.

Don't know the name of the child, but she was christened Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Gustafson.

Miss Peterson, who has been a patient at St. Luke's hospital at Thief River Falls the past few weeks, returned to her home south of Hazel.

Mr. and Mrs. Marjorie Stenness, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weckwerth and daughter, Loreta of Thief River Falls and Stella Urhahl were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson.

They were here at the afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson.

Edvard Urhahl and Stanley Albert.

Edvard Anderson, who is employed at Noyes and Phoebe Anderson of Thief River Falls were Sunday visitors at their parental home.

The St. Paul Harvest Festival will be held at the church Sunday, October 1st. Services at 10:30 A. M. with visiting pastors. Dinner will be served at noon. There will be also afternoon services.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandberg and family were Sunday evening visitors at the Arne home.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Mykle and family of Beltrami, Andrew Mykle of Chicago, Ill., were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Andrew Arne home.

Andrew Mykle hadn't seen the latter for 30 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Einar Urhahl of Twin Valley, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Loe of Thief River Falls were Friday visitors at the Selmer Urhahl home.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson, Norman and Hazel Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rude and Betty Ann Rude were Thursday evening visitors at Martha Loken's.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Peterson and children Mildred and Billy Peterson were Saturday evening visitors at the Martin K. Ellingson home.

Charlotte Gulmon, 18 of Dayton, Minnesota, and Henry Blanks, 23, of Astoria, Ore., are crossing this bridge on evening legging and logging. Blanks is a sister of "Chang" the young woman, over the railing and probably the weight of her body pulled him over. Both were knocked unconscious after falling 40 feet from the bridge into the River. Run on a bed of logs and rocks but were saved from drowning by two eye witnesses.

DRIVE SAFELY ON CROWDED ROADS HUNTERS WARNED

On the eve of the opening of what promises to be Minnesota's best wildlife shooting season, hunters are warned by the state game warden, W. F. Rosendahl, traffic engineer and director of the state highway department, to exercise extreme driving care on these highways which will be overcrowded during the next few week-ends.

Pointing out that the number of hunters killed in traffic mishaps traveling to and from shooting grounds is comparable to and often exceeds the number killed by misadventure of firearms, Mr. Rosendahl urged special caution and alertness on the part of drivers traveling into what is known as the best deer country in the state.

Highway patrolmen will give special attention to such areas of the state.

In order that the gratifying results indicated in preliminary reports from the statewide "Safe Driving Week" campaign be continued through the October season, Mr. Rosendahl urged hunters to watch carefully for stop signs.

Travel at conservative speeds—no sudden or rapid changes of speed—during these critical hours as city streets.

Starting early—perhaps time of the best hunting season for the hunter—before the deer season opens.

Observe the white lines—never cross them unless you are sure you can get back without endangering yourself or others.

Keep to the right of the center line—when two cars try to drive into the same space, one must give way.

Be sure you are on the road, not on the shoulder, pull far off to the right when you must stop.

If you are at the wheel, let your eyes rest on the road and likely hunting grounds.

When all of the hazards of driving have been studied and evaluated, traffic experts inevitably go back to the speed limit and as the major cause of death on the highways. Attention is called to this fact today by the Minnesota State Highway Department's Committee on Public Health Education because the doctors believe that the most played by the energy that mounts on the highway is too often understood by most drivers.

This energy is not visible on the speedometer but it is quickly stored in the car and the heedless driver never knows it is there until he has tried to stop.

Unseen energy does not mount in direct ratio with the speed but as the square of the speed, the bullet point out. If the figure one, is used to indicate the energy that accompanies a speed of 20 miles an hour then the energy that accompanies a speed of 40 miles an hour is four times as great as the energy accompanying the 20 mile speed.

The energy accompanying a speed of 60 miles an hour is nine times as great as that accompanying the 20 mile speed.

If a hunter's body is thrown against an obstacle with the force of such speed energy he cannot live.

The fact that it is this force that goes with speed and not increased traffic but weaker or intersections that is the real killer in automobile accidents is shown by the fact that by far the most traffic deaths occur on rural highways.

At a rate, an automobile begins with the tremors, of which there may be five or six to the second.

SETS RECORD IN JAILING TRAFFIC LAW VIOLATORS

Operating under a new "selective enforcement" policy, the Minnesota Highway Patrol set an all-time record last month for arrests of traffic law violators whose driving practices have been shown by traffic studies of the State Highway department to be the predominant causes of death, injury and property damage on the highways.

In all highway patrolmen arrested 1468 motor vehicle law violators last month Chief Eden Howe's August report to M. J. Hoffmann, state highway commissioner, disclosed this week. This in itself was a new record.

But the all-time record was established by 607 arrests for three major offenses—careless driving, excessive speed, and improper passing. These offenses, which include riding the center line, passing in "white line" or passing spaces and traveling at excessive speeds, have been shown to be the most serious causes of the majority of Minnesota's motor vehicle accidents.

Under the selective enforcement policy instituted several months ago, compulsory reports of all serious motor vehicle accidents, received by the Accident Recording Bureau of the Highway Department's Safety division, are recorded, analyzed, and results reported to the Patrol. The patrol then directs the efforts of its officers especially against those offenses which are shown to constitute the major causes of serious accidents, concentrating activity on those highways where most accidents are occurring, and during the hours when they most frequently occur.

The result is an enforcement program patterned to more effectively prevent accidents by arresting those drivers who are most careless these months.

Arrests last month were: careless driving, 223; improper passing, 130; excessive speed, 254; going through stop signs, 114; driving while drunk, 106; improper or unsafe equipment, 119; improper parking on highway, 116, and all other offenses, 61. Fines collected, \$17,665.11.

While establishing an enforcement record on one hand, the Patrol at the same time established a new record for traffic arrests, directing 238,644 motor vehicles in traffic and giving aid to 2,588 motorists in trouble.

Illegal equipment tags were given out to 4,294 motorists in August, and 5,928, the largest number for any one month.

The origin of the patrol, were issued written warnings, in lieu of fines, for lesser violations.

Lived on Diet of Grass

C. O. Rydman, a growing stock and healthy diet of grass a few years ago, he declared, he was "always diet" and medicine failed to cure him. So he gave up ordinary food and went on a diet of grass.

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BLACK RIVER

The following helped Claus Adolphson celebrate his 75th birthday anniversary Thursday evening: Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Kruse, Shirley and Darlene, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Peterson and Murriel, Felix Anderson and Mrs. Albert Anderson, Marjorie, Mrs. J. A. Kenneth, Hallstrom and Janice of Thief River Falls and Mr. and Mrs. John Stieger.

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TAX PROPERTY SALE TO BE HELD NOV. 13

Farm lands, city and village property in this county have been reverted to the state because of non-payment of taxes, will be sold at auction at the court house at Thief River Falls on Monday, November 13. Property offered at the sale held a year ago last May, and which was not assigned to an actual purchaser, has been re-appropriated and will again be offered for sale. Any tracts not sold at the November auction may be purchased at any time thereafter, until next sale is held, at the appraised price. All tracts or parcels offered for sale have been appraised and a price set for each. Such tracts cannot be bought for less than the appraised price at either auction or any private sale that may follow.

TRANSFERRED TO HENDRICK

J. Field, who has handled very efficiently the business affairs of the local Grand Northern station since last year, was notified this week of his appointment as station agent at Hendrick. He checked out here yesterday and left for his new location where he will be joined later by his family who have resided at Grand Forks because of not being able to find a residence here.

Albert Anderson of Colfax, Wis. owner of a tract of land in Park Center, was here Monday and Tuesday looking after matters in connection with his property. From here he went to Blackduck to visit a cousin before returning home.

A fire Monday at International Falls destroyed the Keys building, which housed the Montgomery Ward store and several other business places in the heart of the city business district of that city.

Mrs. N. E. Beebe and son, Wendell, returned Friday after visiting about three weeks with relatives and friends at St. Paul, Mankato and Rapidan. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lee E. Beebe at Humboldt, Iowa, while away.

The Red River District will meet at the Augustana Church Sunday and Monday. Services will be conducted at the Red River and Tarna churches Sunday afternoon and evening. Monday the district meets at the Clara church for its annual meeting. Sessions will be held at 9:00 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. Services will be conducted at the Clara and Tarna churches at 8:00 P. M. All pastors of the district will be in attendance.

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MUCH RAIN THIS WEEK

It looks like the rainy spell that started in September is continuing into this month. Rain has fallen every day thus far this week, some showers being quite heavy. While the rain will delay late plowing to some extent, the ground will be easier to work when it can be done.

ACHIEVEMENT DAY OCT. 7

The annual Fall Achievement Day for 4-H club members with market classes of poultry and livestock will be held at the county fair grounds, Saturday, October 7. Judging will start at 1 o'clock P. M.

All club members with individual market lambs, fat barrows, baby beef and market poultry will exhibit. Trip winners will be selected to attend the Junior Livestock Show held at South St. Paul, October 30, 31, and November 1 and 2. Eight club members will receive trips with one baby beef, two barrows, three market lambs, one pen of poultry, and one pen of turkeys.

Dr. Manfred Dahle motored here Monday evening from Wadena and spent until following morning with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle.

The Annual Harvest Festival of the Black River Lutheran Church will be held Friday evening. Supper will be served at 6:00 P. M. At 8:00 P. M. a program will be given. Rev. Walfrid Erickson of Hallock has been invited as guest speaker. A welcome to all.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Biskoy and son motored Friday to Buffalo and Minneapolis for a week-end visit with relatives. They were accompanied on the trip by Miss Gladys Bakken, who visits with her parents at Wadena, and by Miss Ardis Mills, who visits with her parents near Buffalo. While enroute to Minneapolis, Mr. and Mrs. Biskoy stopped at Maple Plain for a brief call on Art Hendrickson. The latter is getting along well, and sent greetings to all of his friends here.

25 Years Ago

Rev. Paul Palmer, pastor of the M. E. church here, was transferred to a charge at Fernburg and left that week for that place.

The W. Perrin home north-east of here was the scene of a farewell party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Perrin prior to their departure to make their home in Illinois.

A. H. Pitkin was removing his stock of merchandise from the I.O.O.F. building back to his own building which had undergone extensive repairs and alterations that fall.

H. M. Babcock, the druggist, returned after having spent a week with his family at Minneapolis. He was seriously contemplating moving from here to International Falls.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief, News Concerning People You Know

Paul Thyren and son, Donald, were at Ottorville, Minn., last week on a business trip.

Don't forget the N. L. Aid is serving a chicken dinner at the church parlors Friday, Oct. 6.

Knutte Jorgenson was down yesterday from Thief River to call on friends and former associates.

Co. Commissioner Paul Roy was at the county seat Saturday to preside at regular monthly meeting of the county board.

Dr. D. S. Horn of Ulen, who makes his next monthly visit here next Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 9 and 10 with office at the creamery.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kies departed Friday morning enroute to Chicago to look after affairs at their home there before going to Florida for the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweet came Saturday from Ellert to visit at the V. Brink home. Mr. Sweet returned Monday to Ellert while Mrs. Sweet remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jorgenson, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bergh and children returned Sunday to Haled and spent the day with relatives. They returned Sunday evening.

George Taus, recently stationed at Sherwood, N. D., came yesterday to take charge of the G. N. station as relief agent until a permanent appointment is made next month. Mr. Taus' home is at Strathcona.

Harry Lind of Grygla has bought the Knute Jorgenson property at south end of the village and expects to take possession this fall. He contemplates improvements on existing buildings, and also will erect some new ones.

Many duck hunters from here were out early Sunday morning for opening of the migratory fowl season. Fair to good luck is reported by the different parties all the hours although for shooting are not favorable for what might be termed good hunting.

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DISTRICT COURT OPENS

Fall term of district court in this county, with Judge Bratt presiding, opened Monday at Thief River Falls. Hearing of court cases will occupy this week, and the petit jury has been summoned for next Monday to begin its work. While the calendar is not a large one for this term, it is anticipated the session may last two weeks.

LUTHERAN GOSPEL HOUR

A great many people in this vicinity will be interested to know that The Lutheran Gospel Hour, a morning devotional broadcast over WJBD, 1090 kcs., will now be heard Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 8:30 A. M. Central Standard Time. This radio program has a record of four and a half years on the air, with the 40th broadcast put on October 4th.

Rev. Allen R. Elegen, of Ellert, Minn., who directs the work has just recently been selected as one of the teachers of the Chicago Extension of the Lutheran Bible Institute of Minneapolis which opens this fall.

REGULAR MEETINGS

Regular meeting of the village council held Sept. 5 at the council room. All members present except Gistlad.

On motion the following bills were allowed:

Flint	\$4.04
Robertson Lbr. Co., cement	69.95
Ed. Koch, grave	16.00
Walter Aubol, labor on walks	26.42
Carl Pearson, labor on walks	26.77
Edna Pearson, labor on walks	10.50
C. Schanben, oil, gas - 1.85	
H. Pauslad, rent for Miller	7.00
Brink Bros., grease, bolts	2.25
Ruel Rolland, trucking	8.52
Mrs. Erving, milk, Flammie	1.29
A. Rambeck, policing 7 stances	28.00
Nels Pearson, cutting weeds	60
Nor. St. Power Co., lights	34.30

No further business, meeting adjourned.

Elmer Johnson, clerk.

A. Satterberg, Pres.

Regular meeting of village council held Oct. 2 at council room. All members present.

On motion the following bills were allowed:

A. Rambeck, police 11 dances	\$44.00
Wm. Eng, wood, Flammie	4.25
M. H. Jackson, grocer	4.67
Joe Brannum, man and team	8.40
Nels Pearson, labor	6.65
Paul Thyren, innep. boiler	3.00
Nor. St. Power Co., lights	34.30

No further business, meeting adjourned.

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HEARING ON BANGS TEST OCTOBER 17

The campaign to secure sufficient signatures on the petition relative to the Bang's Disease Area test, was completed some time ago. It was necessary to have seventy per cent of the cattle owners in the county sign the petition before the Livestock Sanitary Board discuss the test. Considerably more than seventy per cent signed the petition.

The Livestock Sanitary Board has set the date for hearing on the petition for October 17, at the Civic & Commerce club room at 2 P. M. The hearing is published in the October 5 issue of the Thief River Falls Times.

RAISES FINE SPUDS

Alton Almqvist has brought in his first crop of fine potatoes weighing 2 1/2 lbs. which was raised on the Almqvist farm this year. The field of between four and five acres is yielding better than 125 bushels of No. 1 spuds to the acre.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jackson and daughter, Patricia, and Miss Gladys Maland motored Sunday to Grand Forks and spent the day at the home of a cousin of Mrs. Jackson and Miss Maland.

A large number of people from the village and surrounding communities attended the Swedish Lutheran Aid which was served by Mrs. Aug. Swanson and Mrs. Richard Larson at the Larson home last Friday.

Miss Inez Patterson of Sauk Center, and Miss Ann Patterson of Minneapolis, who are spending a two weeks' vacation at Maple Lake, were here Tuesday for a visit at the home of their sister, Mrs. O. Gunstad.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle returned Friday from Eagle Bend where they had been called by the death of an old friend, a member of Rev. Dahle's congregation when he was located in the Eagle Bend field twenty years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Kligen-Smith and daughter, accompanied by Miss Edith Hanson, motored here Saturday from Minneapolis for a visit at the Herman Jenson home. Upon returning home Sunday the Kligen-Smiths were accompanied to the Cities by Mrs. Jenson's mother, Mrs. H. Hanson, who had visited here a couple weeks. Miss Edith Hanson remained for a longer visit at home of her sister, Mrs. Jenson.

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AT THE

Churches

Ev. Mission Covenant Church

Friday, Oct. 6, 8 P. M.

Bible Study and business session of the church. You are expected to be there.

Sat. Oct. 7, 10:30 A. M., Confirmation class.

Sunday, Oct. 8, Covenant Home Mission Sunday.

10 A. M., Sermon, "Christian Giving."

P. M. Evangelist: "Christ and the Gadenne Harmonies."

Sunday Bible schools meet at the regular time.

Thursday, Oct. 12, 8 P. M. Ladies Aid at the Alfred Dahlstrom home.

Friday, Oct. 13, 8 P. M., Bible Study.

Augustana Lutheran Church

H. A. Larson, Pastor

Black River Friday 8 p. m.

Harvest Festival supper, 8 p. m. program.

Sunday 2 p. m. Sunday school.

3:30 Service, Speaker Rev. Aron Blom.

Grand Park, N. D., 8:00 p. m. Service, Speaker, Dr. S. W. Swenson.

Warren, Minn. 2:00 p. m. Sunday school.

3:00 p. m. Service, Speaker, Rev. John Simonson.

Kennedy, 8 p. m. Service, Rev. Walden Erickson, Hallowell, speaker.

Monday 8:00 p. m. Service, Rev. Royal Peterson, Warroad, speaker.

Tuesday 8:00 p. m. Bible Class and Prayer meeting at the personage.

Friday Oct. 13, Harvest Festival. Program at 8:00 p. m. and lunch will be served after program at the personage.

Orin, Hazel: Sunday 10:00 a. m. Sunday school, 11 a. m. Service. Monday District annual meeting, 9:00 a. m. Communion service. Rev. Harry Erickson, Roseau, speaker, 1:00 p. m. Disunion in the Holy Land. Rev. Walter Erickson, Pastor Aron Blom, S. W. Swenson, John Simonson and Mr. P. O. Anderson will speak, 8:00 p. m. service. Pastor A. A. Larson, speaker.

Welcome to these meetings.

M. L. Dahl, Pastor

Sunday, Oct. 8th.

St. Hilaire: Sunday school 10 A. M., Services 8 P. M., Wednesday school 2:30. Church dinner Friday, Oct. 6th.

Class Saturday, 9:30.

"The Crown of Thorns" sponsored by the Sunday school. The Film Service of the Northwest, at church Oct. 9, at 7 P. M.

Dak. Rural: Harvest festival service 11 A. M.

service 11 A. M. Offering to be taken at church, Rev. R. M. Fjeldstad speaks at 2:15. St. Pauli class Sunday, 9:30 P. M. Homeless, class Saturday, 9:30 P. M.

DRIVERS LICENSE

LAW IS ENFORCED,

SAYS ROSENWALD

After weeks' agitation over the subject of the application of the Minnesota driver's license law enforcement, the law is now being enforced, says W. B. Rosenwald, director of the highway department's safety division, warned this week.

In the first place, Mr. Rosenwald pointed out, the state law requires that every driver of a motor vehicle obtain a driver's license and carry it in his person at all times when he is driving.

In the second place, failure to possess a driver's license is a crime for severe punishment, which may be a fine or a jail term or both.

In the third place, the license must be kept up to date—that is a new one must be obtained if the motorist has changed his name or even his residence address.

In the fourth place, every peace officer in the state is provided, each month, with a list of persons whose driver's licenses have been revoked or suspended, if any of these persons resides in his particular community, every peace officer is under a moral obligation to see that they are not driving.

The local law enforcement officials, which include highway patrolmen, therefore, constitute the "eyes" which many persons erroneously believe to be lacking from the present law.

It is a statement warning those who are tempted to try to "get by" the law, said: "Inasmuch as the driver's license law is a safety measure and has to do with public welfare, it is as much the job of law enforcement agencies as it is to see that the law is complied with as it is to see that the law is enforced."

Each month the commissioner of highways sends to every police department, sheriff's office, county attorney, and highway patrolman a list of all persons whose driver's licenses have been revoked or suspended during the preceding month. This list gives names and addresses and the action taken by the department."

Critiques Stand Taken

by Federation of Labor

A recent radio broadcast by Lloyd J. Haynes, state labor commissioner, which the Federation of Labor has taken exception to, has been taken up by the Federation of Labor in a statement demanding that the state labor relations board be organized to enforce the law.

It is stated that the Federation of Labor has taken exception to the statement of the labor commissioner, which was made at a public hearing on the subject of the state labor relations board, which was held at the state capitol building in St. Paul, Minn., on October 1st.

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BLACK RIVER

Miss Evelyn Sorvig and June Naplin, Wilbur Hallstrom left on Monday for Crookston to attend the annual convention of the A. C.

Miss Helen Skeltet from Wyndol, Minn., is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. V. G. Brink.

Mrs. Carl Anderson visited on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson.

Mrs. Emil Peterson spent the week with her mother, Mrs. Swan Johnson.

Miss Myrtle Avelon of Roseau, Minn., visited Friday and Saturday at the E. L. Larson home.

Miss Marie Klette, R. N. and Mr. Paul Paulson, Opt. of G. N. R. of Fargo, N. D., arrived by plane at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Brink Sunday morning.

The party flew back to Fargo Sunday night.

A group of friends of Miss Evelyn Sorvig gathered here on Saturday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Brink.

Music and a very enjoyable evening was spent after which a delicious lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson and daughter, Miss Evelyn Sorvig, visited at the home of Mrs. Swan Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hanson and family have moved to a farm near Hazel, after spending a year at the former Anderson farm near Wyke.

The following were Friday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Landman and son, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Larson home: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Landman and son, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Larson home.

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DAIRYMEN TO MEET AT FERGUS FALLS

The 26th annual convention of the Red River Valley Dairy-men's Association, one of the oldest organizations of its kind in this state, will be held in Fergus Falls Tuesday and Wednesday, October 17 and 18, and a large attendance is expected. The gathering is one in which thousands of people are interested and always draws large crowds.

The principal address is to be delivered at the Fergus Falls high school auditorium, Wednesday, Oct. 18, by Dr. George Mecklenburg, famous lecturer, traveler, who has just returned from a trip to Europe. Dr. Mecklenburg is one of the great speakers of the northwest and one of the men stranded in Paris when the war began. Other speakers on the program will include E. O. Christensen, Commissioner of Agriculture, Dairy and Food; J. O. Christensen, Superintendent of the School of Agriculture, University Farm, St. Paul; and Carl E. Bergquist, secretary of the Minnesota Creamery Operators' and Managers Association.

HEALTH CLINIC PLANNED
The 4-H club health clinic as planned by the adult leaders will be held Saturday, October 21. Arrangements have been completed by the committee in charge composed of Mrs. Axel Engquist, Mrs. J. N. Noper, and Mrs. R. F. Hayes. Doctors and dentists that will assist with the clinic are Drs. O. F. Melby, W. E. Anderson, O. G. Lynde, H. O. Johnson, J. B. Biermann, C. M. Adkins, W. J. Hanson, and J. G. Hillard.

The clinic will start at 10 A. M. and last to 5 P. M. All 4-H club members are eligible for the examination. The clinic completes the work in the Health Activity for this year.

In Appreciation
I wish to thank my neighbors, members of the fire brigade and others from St. Hilaire who responded to the fire call from my home recently, and helped extinguish the flames that threatened to destroy my home. Your kindness and help shall be held in grateful remembrance. Mrs. J. V. Patton.

Friends here have received announcement of the marriage of Mrs. Jennie Blaine Carter to Mr. C. A. Brevik which took place recently at San Mateo, Calif. Both contracting parties have resided here and have many friends in the community who will join in wishing them lifelong happiness. They will reside at San Mateo where Mr. Brevik is employed as district representative for an insurance company.

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PTA FRIDAY EVENING

An interesting program for everyone has been arranged for the PTA meeting to be held at the school Friday evening. Besides a ladies' trio, a boys' trio and vocal solo, Frank Bojina of Minneapolis will speak on "Glimpses of Yugoslavia."

ENROLL BUREAU MEMBERS

The membership campaign for 1940 in the Pennington Farm Bureau Association started Monday evening with a meeting of the members in Thief River Falls. Campaign workers will contact every farmer in the county during the next ten days.

Wm. Singer, Campaign Manager, announced at the meeting that a "victory night" meeting will be held on Saturday evening, October 21. At that time all workers will turn in the report for their township.

Hans Solberg, president of the county Farm Bureau Association, appointed an entertainment committee for "Victory Night," consisting of Paul Engstad, S. E. Hunt, W. O. Oki, and Theodore Kusmak.

RED CROSS STATEMENT

St. Hilaire Red Cross branch met Monday evening, Sept. 25, 1939.

Mrs. John Hanson was re-elected President and Mrs. Myrtle Jackson was re-elected Secretary-Treasurer.

Annual report was given: Receipts from Bell Club \$27.68 Bank Deposit 20.74 Int. on same 46.37 Carried forward \$94.80

Expenditures: Trip to Detroit Inst. \$2.80 4 skins yarn 2.93 Mail & tape .20 Cotton .30 Cheese cloth .25

Balance on hand \$85.55 Mrs. Jackson, Secy-Treas.

MUSICIANS SERENADE

FIRE SPECTATORS
Fire Band—It all came about when Clarissa sent a group of musicians to Eagle River on a fire truck to advertise a coming firemen's dance. While en route, the band was on the streets entertaining, the local fire alarm sounded and away dashed the Eagle Band truck to the residence of W. E. Fincham to extinguish a chimney fire. The Clarissa truck followed close behind. Instantly as the large group gathered and the fire was not serious, the Clarissas decided that was the spot on which to advertise their dance and proceeded to strike up the band.

TOBACCO CAN IN POCKET

STOPS STRAY BULLET
Fergus Falls, Minn., 16-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman F. Schmidt, owes his life to the fact that he had a tin tobacco container in his shirt pocket. Last week an automobile stopped on the road about 30 rods from the spot where he was playing and several young men alighted, apparently to shoot blackbirds. One of their first shots zoomed thru the air, hitting Harold's pocket. While Mr. Schmidt was told he was shot, he realized at such an early age, he realized it was his only tobacco tin that saved the bullet from piercing Harold's heart.

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Talks About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief, News Concerning People You Know

Dr. S. S. Horn of Ulen made his regular monthly trip here Monday and Tuesday this week.

H. L. Holmes has been busy this week making some improvements on interior of his residence.

Mrs. Birdeen Anderson of Hailstad, is a guest this week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Highland.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Chas. Hoff and Mrs. Art Johnson and son of Roseau, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Anderson of Warren visited at the R. M. Larson home here last Sunday.

"A group of ladies will entertain the N. L. Ladies Aid at an evening meeting Tuesday, October 19 at 8 o'clock, at the church parlors. There will be an outside speaker and special music."

Mrs. M. R. Graham, who recently underwent an operation at a Crookston hospital, was brought home Sunday. She is feeling much improved, and expects to be about as usual after two weeks of rest.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Christensen (Margaret Kiekomeal) left Monday for their home in Chicago after visiting here a week. They returned by way of St. Paul where Mr. Christensen has relatives.

An informal meeting of the B. M. Club, the first since early summer, was held Monday night at the club room. Next regular meeting will be held Monday evening, Oct. 23, at which good attendance is desired.

Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Larson and Mrs. R. M. Larson, accompanied by Miss Ethel Akina of Chaska motored to Hallowell last Friday and visited with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Adams, Mrs. M. Holm and Mrs. J. Brenneke returned Tuesday afternoon to their homes at St. Paul after visiting since Saturday at the home of their brother, Nels Peterson in Sanders and with friends in the community. A pleasant visit is acknowledged at this office from the group all of whom formerly were residents of this village.

Dr. Manfred Dahle of Warroad spent Sunday here with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle.

The Women's Club will meet Wednesday evening, Oct. 18, instead of the regular club meeting night.

Supt. Cash Cartier of the Northern States Power Company plant at Red Lake Falls was here this morning to read meters for the month.

Frank Sweet motored here Tuesday evening from Eldred for a brief visit with his wife and little daughter who are staying at the home of Mrs. Sweet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Brink.

The Burgon Players presented one of their pleasing plays last evening to a fair sized crowd at the Do Drop Inn. Inclement weather and muddy roads served to cut attendance to some extent.

A northwest wind with showers of rain that almost turned to snow Tuesday night and yesterday served as a reminder that summer is over, and preparations for more rigorous weather are in order.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Adams, Mrs. J. Brennan and Mrs. M. Holm of St. Paul, and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Erickson of Polk Center were guests at a six o'clock dinner Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Satterberg.

Rev. A. J. Kroghstad of Freedom, Ill. visited with Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle here Monday. Rev. Kroghstad formerly served congregations at Crookston, Thief River Falls, Viking and other places in this section before his retirement last June at the age of 75 years, after being in the ministry for 45 years.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Reiersgard and sons of Fostert; Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Skatrud of Argyle; Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Brink; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Jensen and son, Garbo, Mr. and Mrs. M. Jackson and daughter, Patricia, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Brink were guests last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter.

M. E. A. SOCIETY

The local school will be closed Thursday and Friday of next week to permit members of the teaching staff to attend M. E. A. meetings which will be held at the different teacher's colleges. Some of the local teachers plan to attend sessions at the Bemidji college while others will go to Moorhead.

FIVE AWARDED TRIPS

Five 4-H club members were awarded trips to the Junior Livestock Show, at South St. Paul, October 30, and 31, and November 1, and 2, at the Achievement Day held Saturday, October 7, announces Howard E. Grow, county agent.

The club members who will make the trip with their exhibitors are: Elmer Nelson and Fern Nelson of the Mavis club with market lambs; Carroll Parnow, St. Cloud, market lamb; Robert Hayes, Northland club, turkeys; and Elvina Roese Silverton club, poultry. They will leave for the show on October 23.

BLACK RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Hahner and daughter and Mrs. Phil Stenning were Sunday visitors at the Claus Adolphson home. Evelyn Parnow spent the week-end with Gladys Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Steiger and family were Sunday visitors at the Nick Schatz home. Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lindquist and daughter Mae and Sylvia Wilhelm were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gunnard Lindquist.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stavenger of Laverne are visiting at the home of their daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Van de Streek.

Ralph Neshelm is visiting at the Claus Adolphson home. Do not forget to attend the Neekie Social in Dist. 99 on Friday evening, Oct. 20th. Bertie Ostmo teacher.

Rev. Anser Bloom of Grant Forks conducted services in the Black River Lutheran church on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Effie Fredson, who teaches near Oakes spent the week-end here.

Mrs. Edw. Carlson and Cynthia of Plummer spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. J. V. Patton.

Mrs. Sofia Fild of Eveleth, Minn., arrived Monday for a two week's visit with relatives and friends here.

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ANNUAL RAM SALE

MONDAY OCT. 16

Arrangements have been completed for the annual Ram Sale of the county fair grounds, in Thief River Falls, on Monday, October 16. This event is sponsored by the Extension Service and the Sheep Improvement Association.

The rams for sale this year are all from local breeders' flocks, and the prices asked for them will be very reasonable.

The rams will be classified into three groups by W. E. Morris, Sheep Specialist from University Farm. This classification will assist some purchasers in selecting the ram that they desire to buy. At 1:30 P. M. Mr. Morris will discuss "Care and Feeding of Sheep During the Winter Months." This is a very timely topic as several of the farmers have been having trouble with losses during the winter. Farmers are urged to attend this meeting even if they are not in the market for a ram.

The sale will be conducted by the county agent with the sale will be H. C. Woolson and Frank Hardisty.

25 Years Ago

N. A. Nelson's new residence was nearing completion, and he and family expected to move in the following week.

Rev. M. Ferry of Vernalda, assigned to the pastorate of the local Methodist church to succeed Rev. Paul Palmer, came with his family and were getting settled in the M. E. Parsonage.

Joe Martz went to Fargo to enroll for the fall and winter terms at the A. C.

Harold Holmes, who was attending high school at Thief River, spent the week-end at his home here.

S. J. Amble and son, James, went to Crosby, N. D., in the interest of their Park Ridge Nursery which was located west of this village.

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BRAKEMAN KILLED AT RED LAKE FALLS

H. C. Genzel, age 59, brakeman on this line from the Great Northern, was killed early Sunday morning on the main street crossing at Red Lake Falls when he was knocked from the step of the freight train locomotive tender by a hit-and-run autoist. The freight engine was switching in the Red Lake Falls yards and Mr. Genzel was flagging on rear of the tender when the accident occurred.

The following day, Garfield Youngquist, 21, of Wahpeton, N. D., was placed under arrest at Thief River Falls as he was attempting to have repairs made on his car which showed indications of having been in an accident. Youngquist and his two companions, a young woman and a man, admitted their car struck the train but denied hitting the brakeman.

A coroner's inquest was held Monday afternoon and the jury's verdict accused Youngquist of driving at an unreasonable speed and in a negligent manner. Testimony showed Genzel's body was thrown fifty feet from the tender.

County Attorney R. H. Lees said he expected to file second degree manslaughter charges against Youngquist who is being held in jail at Red Lake Falls.

Mr. Genzel, whose home was at Clearwater Lake near Leonard, is survived by his wife and six children.

BLACK RIVER

Visitors Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Erickson were Mr. and Mrs. Gamar Lindquist and Marvin, Art Jacobson and Mrs. Sofia Fjelds.

Evelyn Sorvig, June Nephin, Wilbur Hallstrom and Rev. Johnson students at the A. C. of Crookston spent the week-end with their parents here.

Remember the Necktie School on Friday evening, Oct. 20 at the local School House, Room 99, Miss Beatrice Ostro teach-

Mr. and Mrs. Alvord Hahner and daughters and Alb. Anderson of Thief River Falls were Monday visitors at the Claus Adolphson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lindquist and George visited Friday evening at the Martin Erickson home.

Visitors Sunday at the home of Mrs. Swan Johnson were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson, Elaine and Jeanette, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Persen, Evelyn, Arleen and Deloris.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Nephin visited on Sunday at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Nephin.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Stenseng, Bernice and Grace of Saugette, Mr. and Mrs. J. Neishum and family of Warroad were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. Claus Adolphson.

Mrs. Swan Johnson and Harry and Mary Persen visited on Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Persen.

GENSTAD NOTIFIED OF STATE TAX RATE OF 10 MILLS IN '39

County Auditor A. M. Genstad recently was notified by State Auditor Stafford King that the state tax levy for the current year would again be ten mills in excess of 5,000, compared to 4.15 mills in 1938.

The full state tax of ten mills will apply on homesteaded valuations in excess of \$4,000, as well as on all other real estate, property and personal property.

The state levy, in mills, for various purposes, is as follows:
Soldiers' relief 1.10
Road and bridge 1.00
Schools and university 1.23
Teachers' salaries 1.00
State schools and institutions 0.51
Public schools 0.26
National Guard armory 0.26
Spanish war veterans 0.07
Reforestation and flood control 0.10
Red Lake game preserve 0.12
Machell cemetery 0.03
Minnesota state building 0.20
University and teachers' colleges 0.15
State-board of relief 0.10
Fourth state hospital 0.17
Minnesota public relief 0.60

MOON ECLIPSE NEXT WEEK

The best eclipse of the moon since July, 1935, will occur Friday and Saturday of next week. Oct. 27 and 28, the eclipse to be 93.2 total.

The moon will start its performance at 9:42 P. M., Oct. 27 when it enters the black shadow. It will enter the black shadow at 10:56 P. M. and the middle eclipse, the main show, will begin at 12:36 A. M., Oct. 28. The moon will leave the black shadow at 2:15 and will leave the half shadow at 3:31. The fact that the moon will be full on Oct. 28 will make the spectacle more interesting to watch.

OCT. 19-26

BIDS WANTED
Bids will be received at the office of the undersigned, clerk of School Dist. 102, St. Hilaire, Minn., for the delivery of 165 cords of not less than 6-inch, split green body poplar cord wood in lots of ten cords or more, delivered and piled on the school ground at St. Hilaire, Minn. Bids will be received until Oct. 26, 1939, at the bank at which the right to reject any or all bids, H. L. Holmes, Clerk, St. Hilaire, Minn.

Victim of Night



Talks About Town

Happenings of the Week Told in Brief News
Concerning People You Know

Mrs. L. F. Olson went Tuesday to Grand Forks to visit a couple days at the home of her sister.

First regular meeting of the B. M. C. for this month will be held at the club room next Monday evening.

The fire department was called out Sunday evening to the Redwood Inn to extinguish a chimney fire that looked dangerous in the high wind prevailing at that time.

Some over forty ladies of the Norwegian Lutheran congregation helped Mrs. M. L. Dahl, Olafsen, have birthday anniversary at a gathering held at her home last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Biskey and son, accompanied by John and Martha Launa of Middle River, motored Sunday to Warroad and spent the day with friends, returning that evening.

Souvenir Social and Carnival
A program and carnival will be held at Cheyenne School, Dist. 104, Saturday evening, Oct. 21st. Four miles east and 1/2 miles north of St. Hilaire. Everybody welcome. Norma Orloff, teacher.

L. F. Olson, manager of the creamery, left Tuesday morning to attend the Red River Valley Dairyman's convention at Fargo. Mr. Olson was one of the buttermakers chosen to judge the butter exhibit in connection with the convention.

RED CROSS ROLL CALL
Red Cross Roll Call is being conducted earlier this year for the convenience of the workers. A personal invitation is extended to everyone to become a member. Join your local chapter now.

Marjorie Barlett with the Dead Centre again in several European countries, as Marjorie was usually hurried with the dead to symbolize the passing of their brief "hour" of life, says Collier's Weekly.

WANTED—Old and disabled horses for milk feed. Write to Robert Peterson, Harel, Minn. or call 1-373 on St. Hilaire line if you have any animals to sell.

ANOTHER BUILDING SOLD!

In a deal completed this week Nickie Drees became owner of the building where he has operated the Redwood Inn the past two years. Mr. Drees plans to remove second story of the place, and to build an addition in rear besides changing interior of the place. The work will be done this fall if favorable weather continues, otherwise it will be done next spring. Sale of this property is following the trend started three years ago wherein nearly all property, both business and residential, in this village, is passing into ownership of actual occupants.

36 RAMS DISPOSED OF AT COUNTY FAIR GROUNDS MONDAY

Thirty-four farmers from Pennington, Marshall and Rice counties, supplied seventy-eight rams of all ages for the annual ram sale held in Thief River Falls Monday, Howard E. Grow, county agent, auctioned them.

Fewer rams were available for sale this year than there were last year, but the number of rams changing hands was about the same. Thirty-six rams were sold or traded and three rams will all head new flocks this year.

Some of the rams were of questionable quality, but for most part these were exchanged for some in the same classification. However, as a whole the quality of all rams was satisfactory.

W. E. Morris, livestock specialist from University Farm, was unable to be present, and consequently many farmers were disappointed in not hearing Mr. Morris discuss "Care and Feeding of Sheep."

EVADERS RUNAWAY CAR

AS IT HITS HOV SEED
Elmwood—It all came about when Fred Weidrich went to crank his car in the yard at the Wilbert farm. The shift lever had slipped into high gear and although Fred could not get control of the car, he did manage to keep clear. The Ford smashed headlong into the Wilbert hog shed, smashing a big hole in the wall. You might have said there was a carpenter job to keep him busy for quite awhile.

RING, LOST 18 YEARS

FOUND 5 MILES AWAY
Forest Lake, Minn. Picking beans 18 years ago, Mrs. Peter Soderstrom dropped her wedding ring from her finger, and though she searched for hours, she could not find it. Mrs. Soderstrom has been dead many years now, but last week, her son-in-law, Ed Benson, to whom the beans had been taken at the time for thrashing, found her ring in the very spot where the beans had been thrashed on his farm. It was in perfect condition.

WANTED—Dead and disabled animals. We remove them promptly free of charge. We pay phone charge. Free gift with every call. Phone 151. Red Lake Falls Rendering Company, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

PARENT-TEACHER UNIT MET FRIDAY

Regular monthly meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held at the school last Friday night. In addition to musical numbers, Frank Rojina, state bee inspector, gave a very interesting talk on Yugoslavians, his native land. He told about living conditions and the very limited opportunities for the common people in that country, and admonished all who heard him not to put any stock in those who malign this country because living conditions, opportunities and freedom of thought and speech here are so far in advance of anything in Europe that there is no comparison whatever.

TENT MISSION MEETING

Annual meeting of the Lutheran Tent Mission will be held at the local Swedish TARA church next Tuesday, the morning service being called for 10:30. Representatives from congregations in four counties, which sponsor the tent mission services, are expected to attend.

OPERATING MINK FARM

Miller Peterson and sons, who reside south of here, have a good start in what promises to be a profitable industry, the raising of mink. At present they have some over two hundred animals with prospects of doubling that number in a year.

Friends of Elaine Pearson tendered her a surprise birthday party last Tuesday at her home. The evening was spent socially, and lunch was served. Those present were Vivian Olson, Lucille Peterson, Hazel Haglund, Bernice Olson, Ray Grovum, Alice Carpenter, Raymond Larson, Roger Roy, Stanley Johnson, Grover Stephens, Philip Ewing, Ennis Nohr.

Mrs. Elton Mortenson of Thief River Falls, was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower given yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ström in this village. About forty friends of Mrs. Mortenson were present. She was recipient of many and varied gifts as reminders of the happy occasion.

Secretary Wallace sent to her the Wisdom of the A.A.A.s.

DANCE

To the Music of
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New and Old-time Music
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St. Hilaire, Minn.
Saturday, Oct. 21
Admission 10c - 25 cents

Your Creamery

The creamery, organized and built by the people of this community because they saw a need for co-operative marketing of their farm products, can grow and prosper only in the same proportion as it is patronized by the people of the community. Work and boost for the creamery. The more you patronize it, the greater your profits will be.

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Handy Small Table Made of Camp Stool

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS

HAVE you ever wished for a small, low table that would appear from nowhere and disappear again when you were through with it? Have you ever thought it would be nice if Father's ottoman could be folded up and put out of the way when not in use? Or perhaps you have un-

A lamp snor plus a tray to fit
 top makes a very satisfactory
 small table or desk beside a
 book table or to set up for your
 crocheting or mending basket by your
 favorite chair. But be sure to
 dress it up so that it will look its
 best either when in use or when
 folded up and placed in some
 out of the way corner. A remnant
 of material and some up-
 holstery braid will do the trick.
 Stain and wax are suggested for
 a base as paint might be marred
 folding the stool.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Mrs. Spears
 is prepared for our readers a
 booklet containing 32 useful and
 practical suggestions for beautify-
 ing the home; with step-by-step
 directions for the use of these
 suggestions. These useful booklets

HOUSEHOLD QUESTIONS

Boiled Vegetables.—Vegetables, allowed to stand in water after they are boiled, become soggy. Drain off water they are boiled in and use for soup stock.

Sandwich Filling.—Flaked salmon and chopped cucumber pickles moistened with mayonnaise make a tasty sandwich filling.

Decorations on Cookies.—When decorations are added to cookie dough—such as dates or nuts—press them well down into the dough. Otherwise they may come off during the baking.

Cranberry Maple Syrup Pie.
 1 tablespoon flour
 1 cup maple syrup
 2 cups fresh cranberries
 Pie pastry

Line an 8-inch plate with pastry. Sprinkle flour over bottom crust and add maple syrup. Top with whole raw cranberries. Cover with pastry, press edges together and flush top of crust with milk. Bake hot oven, 400° Fahrenheit—about 15 minutes.

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NO TO-NIGHT

Others Are Mortals
All men think all men mortals
t themselves.—Young.

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AT THE Churches

Mission Covenant Church
 Rev. N. Wiberg, Pastor.
 Res. 410 S. St. Paul Ave.
 Thief River Falls
 Phone 1049-R
 Wednesday
 2:30-4:00 P. M., Religious Instruction at the church.
 No Confirmation Class this Saturday.

Sunday, Oct. 22nd
 10 A. M., Worship and Sermon, "A Spiritual House."
 10:45 A. M., Bible school.
 Our attendance dropped to 80% last Sunday. We must do better.

11 A. M., Bible school at Black River Chapel.
 3 P. M., Valley wide second meeting, at the Mission Covenant church, Warren.

8 P. M., Evangelist, John in the Book of Numbers.
 Friday, Oct. 27, 8 P. M., Y. P. meeting and social at the home of Alex Swanson's.
 "Come to Church!" The church is a place to find God, gladness, and good friends. Try Sunday devotion your week!

St. Hilaire N. L. Churches
 M. L. Dahl, Pastor.
 Sunday, Oct. 22, Services, St. Hilaire Sunday school 10 a. m. service.

Ad Thursday evening.
 Religious instruction, Wednesday 8:00-4.
 St. Pauli service 9:45, Norse dean, Saturday 9:30.

Ad Oct. 26, afternoon only.
 Medames L. Lin and E. Thune entertain.
 Church Supper, Oct. 28.
 Banquet Service 11 a. m. Norse.

Examination of confirmation class.
 Oakridge, Norse service, 2:15.
 James Barnett home.

Augustana Lutheran Church
 M. A. Larson, Pastor.
 Black River: Saturday, Oct. 21, 9:00 a. m., Confirmation class at Frank Larsson's home.

2:00 p. m., Junior Mission Band at the church.
 Sunday 9:30 p. m. Sunday school, 9:30 p. m. Service.

Tuesday, Oct. 24, 10:00 and 1:30 p. m. Lutheran Post Mission Annual meeting at the Tama Church.
 Clara Hessel: Sunday 10:30 a. m.

m. Sunday school, 10 a. m. Service.
 Friday, Oct. 27, Harvest Festival Program at 8:00 p. m.

SCHOOL PROCEEDINGS

The Board of Education of School Dist. 102 held its regular meeting at the school house Tuesday evening, Oct. 17, 1933 and was called to order by the chairman, Mrs. Eleanor Hanson at 8 P. M. All members present.

Minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved. Motion made by Jackson and seconded by Brink that the following bills be allowed:
 M. R. Graham, mileage June 7 to Aug. 22 — \$63.84

Fred D. Lovstrom, recording deeds — 2.00
 Hamilton's Office Supply, office supplies — 1.50

St. Paul Book & Sta. Co., supplies — 79.84
 A. S. Barnes Co., library books — 10.07

Bobbs-Merrill Co., library books — 3.90
 F. O. Co., library supplies — 18.15

Standard Oil Co., gas & oil — 55.50
 Skarstad-Daniels Machine Co., garage lumber — \$22.78

Larson Bros., janitor supplies, garage hdwe. — 66.56
 Ed. Engb, labor and gravel — 29.26

O. Gunstad, premium fire insurance — 14.94
 Motion carried.

Motion made by Jackson and seconded by Larson that the clerk advertise for bids on 163 cords of wood for the season.

Motion carried.
 Motion made by Jackson and seconded by Larson that the bonds of Ed. Engb and Elmer Johnson, bus drivers be accepted.

Motion made by Larson and seconded by Brink that the insurance policy on the garage be accepted. Motion carried.

No further business, motion for adjournment carried.
 H. L. HOLMES, Clerk
 Mrs. Eleanor Hanson, President.

BRAY

August Scholin, Elina, Arlo and Elmer and Mrs. Mrs. Leroy Scholin and son Orrin were Sunday visitors at the Melcher Erickson home.

Clarence Swanson spent Sunday visiting with Vernon Scholin.

Charley Schneider of Wylie visited at J. O. Swanson's Monday.

Mrs. Eldon Erickson, Darwyn and Merle were Monday afternoon visitors at the N. P. Scholke home.

Art Asp and Lester Christie were Thursday visitors at the James Barnett home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Sevre and Grandchildren visited at Halvor Odelien's Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. O. Swanson visited with Miss Hilder Akerlund on Wednesday afternoon.

BLACK RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. John Kruse and family spent the week-end at Fargo, N. Dak., visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Ruth Brink student at Concordia college spent the week-end at the home of her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. V. Brink.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR, ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

HAZEL

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Erickson, Joanne and Wayne Erickson, and their children, were at the home of Mr. Erickson's mother, Mrs. Augusta Erickson, Sunday evening, Oct. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Peterson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rux and Mrs. and Mrs. Fred Rux were guests at the home of Leif Erickson's birthday anniversary.

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Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Anderson and Mayne Anderson were Tuesday evening visitors at the Arvola Peterson home in St. Hilaire.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandberg, Betty Leth and Roger Sandberg were Wednesday evening visitors at the Herman Sandberg home.

The St. Paul Ladies' Aid will meet at the Arvola Peterson home Thursday afternoon, Oct. 26th.

Madame Emil Thune and L. Lina hostesses.

Peter Guernard, section foreman spent the week-end at Norway, Minn. with friends.

Guernard was section foreman at Norway before coming here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Julien, Bonnie and Beverly Julien motored here Friday evening from Fort Francis, Ontario, Canada.

to visit until Sunday evening with relatives here. They were accompanied over by Mrs. C. A. Rose who had spent the past two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Julien.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Robertson and daughters are moving from east of Hazel soon to the farm of O. J. Peterson where they have purchased. The Patrick Gullins family who are living on J. Peterson farm which will move to the old Nelson farm which the Ted Bergdahl family have been renting.

And girls, don't forget to bring a program and also a carnival. On Saturday evening, Oct. 21, a program will be held at the Berghall home.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Scholke and Vivian and Dorothy Swanson spent Sunday afternoon visiting at the George Swanson home.

Salmer Olson spent Sunday forenoon visiting with Charley Bengtson.

Work has been started on the Frank Peterson farm the cement floor being done this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kruse of Black River were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Kruse's brother-in-law and sister, Mrs. Wm. Palmquist.

The Melvin Tronstad family are moving to the Hans Loken place.

Miss Alvra Alberg of Thief River Falls visited from Wednesday until Friday at the Carl Alberg home.

The Ladies' Aid at the C. Alberg home was well attended afternoon and evening. Hostesses were Medames Alberg and Oscar Odegard.

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Octo Gustafson celebrated his seventy first birthday anniversary Friday evening at the home of his son, Gustaf Gustafson. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Gust. Gustafson and daughter Melba, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Nelson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Alberg and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustafson are enjoying good health.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Julien and daughters of Fort Francis, Ontario, Canada, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Krats and family who moved here recently from the Twin Cities, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandberg and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rose and family were Saturday evening visitors at the Anton Peterson home.

Carpenters are working on the new farm residence at Anton Anderson's. The house will be completely modern.

Carl Alberg had his Millet threshed on Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hanson and Marlene of Hazel were Wednesday dinner guests at the James Barnett home.

Mrs. Henry Johnson and Mrs. Dorothy, Lenore and Gladys spent Saturday afternoon visiting at the Emil Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lindquist and son George visited at the Emil Erickson home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hanson, Dorothy, Lenore and Gladys spent Sunday afternoon visiting at S. N. Olson's.

Mrs. Eldon Erickson, and Annie Lindholm visited with Mrs. Ruben Rux Monday afternoon.

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Sunday evening supper guests at the Melvin Anderson home were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mosbeck, Mr. and Mrs. Edon Erickson, Victor Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Olson, Clara and Russel, Albin Dehnbom and Gladys Peterson of Thief River Falls, Clarence Anderson and Harry Jusk of St. Hilaire.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson and Lillian spent Sunday visiting at the Axel Anderson home at Viking.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hegstad motored to Badger Tuesday to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anderson and family were Sunday dinner guests at the Pete Olson home at Goodridge.

Mrs. Mary Shaw and Mrs. Paul Landgren of Thief River Falls were Monday evening visitors at the Emil Larson home.

Mrs. Bill Frost and Patsy spent Monday afternoon visiting at George Hanson's.

Mrs. Harry Hawkins and son, Lowell and Laura Anderson motored to Grove City Wednesday where they will spend a week visiting friends and relatives. Miss Anderson will remain for a longer visit with her sister, Mrs. H. Sandberg.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Sevre and son, Clarence, and Gunder Simonsen spent Sunday evening visitors at the Ed. Finn home.

Mrs. Roy Larson and daughters visited at the Emil Larson's Tuesday afternoon.

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HIGHWAY PATROL MAKES NEW RECORD

The state highway patrol has hung up three all-time records during the months of September and October. During September the patrol force made 1,628 traffic violation arrests, the largest single-month total on record.

Another record was the reduction by 11 total traffic deaths for the month as compared to September 1938, enabling the state to claim, for the first nine months of the year, the greatest reduction in traffic fatalities per motor vehicle mile covered in the history of the state.

Still another record by the highway department was the driver's license bureau total of revocation and suspension of licenses, largest in history of the bureau.

During September, the patrol issued 5,897 tags for improper equipment; gave written warnings to 3,588 other persons, including 256 found "bumbling" riders along the highways; and issued 5,283 motorist's assisted drivers to get cars out of ditches, and gave warnings to 181 persons found walking on roadways in an illegal manner. In addition to the above, the patrol checked driver's licenses of thousands of motorists, and also tested the lights and brakes on a vast number of cars.

Ole Braunum moved this week from room in the rear of the Redwood Inn and will occupy part of the Ole Nash house in the southwest part of town.

Halloween Social - A Halloween social will be given at the Rignolds school, one mile north of St. Hilaire, on F. H. 32, Friday evening, October 27. Fun for everyone. All cordially invited. 1tp

CANADA GETS SNOW

Western Canada, especially parts of Alberta, got a 10-inch fall of snow Tuesday. The storm apparently is going south as snow is predicted for parts of North and South Dakota as well as southwestern Minnesota, with possible light snows for eastern North Dakota and northwestern Minnesota. People in this section look for and expect a few more weeks of favorable fall weather during the Indian summer period which usually comes in November.

NEW STATION AGENT

W. J. Atchison of Hensel, N. D., has been appointed agent for the Great Northern at this point which place became open when J. Field was transferred to Hendrum. Mrs. Atchison was here this week looking for a place of residence, and they expect to be here in a few days.

Hirshich-Hallstrom

Harold Hallstrom and Miss Marie Hirshich, daughter of Red Lake Falls were married October 18 in parsonage of the Immanuel Lutheran church at Red Lake Falls with Rev. Paul Bargeroff officiating. The couple was attended by Marie Hirshich, cousin of the bride, and R. John Erickson of Thief River Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Hallstrom will make their home on the former Enright farm between this village and Red Lake Falls.

All electric light and power bills for the current month should be paid at this office not later than 5:00 P. M. Saturday this week. The company requires all accounts to be at Grand Forks not later than the 25th of each month. As that date is Sunday, and no mail service on this day, account must leave Saturday.

A commodious new residence is being erected on the Antohi farm, E. Anderson farm east of the village.

Apple Week



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

The Luther League will meet at the Norwegian Lutheran church next Sunday evening.

Budd Kirkconnell accompanied John Artisen of Thief River Falls on a trip Monday to Ely, Minn.

Oscar Kolstad, who makes his home at Duluth, came this week for a few days visit with his family.

Wm. Hign started work this week at completing his wood cutting contracts at two different places west of here.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Seeland, who have stayed with Mrs. Mary Sherva this fall, have moved to Thief River Falls where Mr. Seeland has employment.

Larson Bros. are busy fitting a new storm front on their store building. It will cover the entire show window section as well as side lights in the doorway.

First regular meeting of the B. M. Club for this fall was held Monday night at the club room. Different subjects of interest to club members and the village, were discussed.

Melvin Sherva motored here Friday and took his mother, Mrs. Mary Sherva, to Hibbing where she will spend the winter months with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Nelson.

A Miscellaneous Sale will be held by the N. L. Ladies' Aid at the church parlors Friday, November 3rd, at 2 o'clock. A ten cent lunch will be served after the sale. Everybody welcome.

If the sky is clear, look for the moon eclipse tomorrow night. To see the most interesting part however, it will be necessary to stay up until after midnight since the main eclipse starts at 12:30 A. M. Saturday.

The fall term of district court in this county, which became longer than first anticipated, was recessed Saturday for two weeks to permit Judge Brattland to reside at a scheduled term of court in Roseau county.

An epidemic of colds seems to be going the rounds in this vicinity.

May Moses of Pelican Rapids, came Friday for a visit at the home of her brother, N. E. Bebo.

Supt. M. E. Graham and Cleve Berquist attended a schoolmen's meeting and banquet at Tuesday evening at Climax.

E. O. Burpee of Moorhead, local representative for the Federal Land Bank, St. Paul, was here Thursday evening for a brief visit with his mother, Mrs. R. E. Burpee.

County Treasurer A. R. Johnson announced that just half of real estate taxes payable this year, must be paid before November first to avoid a penalty of 5 per cent.

The well drilling outfit engaged in sinking an artesian well near the Orloff place on Minnesota avenue, met with no success after drilling in two locations, and left yesterday.

Private Robert Rosendahl of Ft. Lincoln, N. D., who is assisting with army recruiting work at Grand Forks, was here Friday and Saturday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rosendahl.

Miss Bernice Gault spent Sunday here with her cousin, Eva Johnson, while enroute to Minneapolis to resume her editorial duties after having attended the M.E.A. at Bemidji and visited briefly with her mother at Fargo.

John Norman has gone to McAllen in the Lower Rio Grande Valley of Texas to spend the winter months. It is probable more than 1,000 Minnesota people will be in different parts of the valley for the winter this year.

Miss Gladys Bakken left this evening for her home at West to be present at the marriage of her sister, May. Miss Bakken will be bridesmaid at the ceremony which takes place tomorrow. Mrs. Fred Bakken is substituting for Miss Bakken at school until she returns.

HEALTH CLINIC HELD

The 4-H club Health Clinic, which was held in Thief River Falls, on October 21, was a success as one hundred and one boys and girls were given complete physical examinations. Several more club members appeared than had been expected.

Because of the large number, some of the boys and girls did not have their eyes examined, and they are being asked to appear this week for that part of the examination.

The clinic was planned by Mrs. V. C. Noper, Mrs. R. F. Hayes, and Mrs. Axel Engstrand, adult 4-H club leaders. Doctors that assisted with the clinic were: W. E. Anderson, C. M. Adkins, J. Biedemann, E. S. Amundsen, W. H. Hensel, and J. G. Hillard. Nurses that helped the doctors were: Mrs. Don Mattson, Mrs. Minnie Kirby, Mrs. A. B. Stenberg, Mrs. R. E. Noper, and Miss Laura Wold.

AGE PROOF REQUIRED

Delays in qualifying for monthly old age insurance benefit payments from the federal government may be avoided by entitled persons 65 years of age and older if proof of age is established before Jan. 1, 1940. The district office at Grand Forks states that certified copy as to date of birth shown by public record or a certified copy of a church record of baptism is a recognized authority.

Other records which tend to establish proof of age, but which may delay benefit payments because of time involved in verification are: statement of doctor or midwife who attended at time of birth; a Bible or family record certified to; business, fraternal, governmental, school, or similar documents.

Inasmuch as these records go back 65 years or more, time may be consumed in gathering the necessary data. Therefore, they should be gathered before hand in order to avoid delay in payments of monthly benefits.

Rev. M. L. Dahle attended a conference of Northwestern Minnesota pastors at Crookston on Tuesday and Wednesday this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lyon of Poyry Lake, accompanied by Mr. O. Young and daughter, Trude, motored here Saturday and visited until Monday at the Frank Peterson, Anton Johnson and John Gustafson homes. Mr. Lyon is engaged in the electrical contracting business at Forest Lake.

A state highway department surveying crew has been working the past week between here and Red Lake Falls. According to the stake lines, some changes will be made in the curves when the re-building program on No. 32 once gets under way which will probably be next year.

4-H WORKERS TO GO TO LIVESTOCK SHOW

Five 4-H club members will leave Sunday to attend the annual Junior Livestock Show to be held at South St. Paul, Oct. 30, to Nov. 2. These club members won their trips by exhibiting the livestock, which they had cared for, at the Achievement Day. The stock will be exhibited at the show and will be sold at auction on Thursday, November 2.

The boys and girls representing Pennington county are: Carroll Parnow, Goodridge; Elmer Nelson and Fern Nelson; Marie; Robert Hayes; Elmer; Mrs. F. A. E. Hayes; and the Thief River Falls. They will be accompanied by Howard H. Grew, County Agent.

Mrs. B. E. Burke expects to leave soon to spend the winter months at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Martz at Minneapolis.

Guests at the Emil Just home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carr and son, Robert; Mr. and Mrs. F. Carr of Larimore, N. D.; Mr. and Mrs. F. A. E. Hayes; Elmer, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Loggins and son, Harry.

Some autoist came to grief south of here near the Norman farm late Sunday night. Apparently driven at high speed, the car travelled quite a distance in the road ditch before going into a field and turning over. Occupants of the car were not at the scene Monday morning when wrecker hauled the machine away, but are reported to be from Middle River.

OCT. 19-26

MISS WANTED

Rids will be received at the office of the undersigned, clerk of School Dist. 102, St. Hilaire, Minn., for the delivery of 150 cords of not less than 6-inch, split green body poplar cord wood in lots of ten cords or more, delivered and piled on the school ground at St. Hilaire, Minn. Rids will be received until Oct. 28, 1939 and the board of directors is right to buy any or all bids. H. L. Holmes, Clerk, St. Hilaire, Minn.

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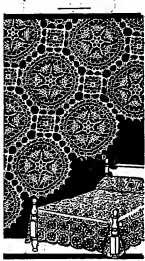
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HOUSEHOLD QUESTIONS

Biscuit Pan.—A shallow pan about one inch deep is the best to use in baking biscuits; otherwise the biscuits will not brown evenly on all sides.

Mending Pile Stips.—Hamstitched pile strips that are too badly torn to mend neatly can have the torn cut away and a patch crocheted on.

Browned Potatoes.—Before frying old potatoes slice them and wedge with flour. This will not only cause the potatoes to brown more quickly but improve flavor.

Laying Linoleum.—Never try to lay linoleum when it is cold. It should be left for at least 24 hours in a warm room, so that the heat may penetrate to the center of the roll, otherwise it will crack and peel off when unrolled.

Save the Floors.—Wax the bottom of glass or wooden cups placed under furniture. Furniture may then be moved easily and in moving it will not scratch the floors.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. LABINE
Intensified Warfare Started
As Germany at Last Realizes
Futility of Peace Overtures

(EDITOR'S NOTE—These columns are prepared in these columns, they are of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

EUROPE:

War of Diplomacy

Biggest news on the diplomatic front was without thinking in London and Paris to the effect that Italy was swinging away from Berlin to form a strong Balkan peace bloc, meanwhile adopting a policy of "neutrality" toward the allies. There were good reasons for such a move because Italy has strong trade interests in the Balkans, where Russia is trying to win an open lease.

Backing the Roman, Italian newspapers continued being hostile on Communism. Partially spiking it, however, was authoritative Editor Chamberlain's refusal to call the German situation a "war of nerves."

Meanwhile Germany continued its halfhearted efforts to avert war, waiting until the final breaking moment in the hope that Prime Minister Chamberlain would capitulate. U. S. aid, asked unofficially, was refused.

Germany's desperate efforts only mean that Germany had been surprised, perhaps to her ultimate ruin, by the determination. For recourse for Russia rebuffed his efforts to cement trade relations with Russia, he was elsewhere after getting all she wanted from Germany.

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NAMES
That made news

FORD STEERING.—At Hollywood, the 55-year-old, early-day comic actor, died last night.

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G. J. ARNOLD.—The 55-year-old, early-day comic actor, died last night.

CULBERT OLSON.—The 55-year-old, early-day comic actor, died last night.

CONGRESS:

Peace?

Neutrality was making a run this month of many an otherwise efficient statesman. Each day the house of congress assembled halfheartedly listened to a few political orators and went in to Washington's cocktail rooms and bars.

There was said to be no serious drawing near.

Some of the incentive came from outside, such as Col. Charles A. Lindbergh's second radio speech which was so much for the experience of the arms embargo.

Howard Coe, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, pointed out that industry is opposed to war and realizes the futility of war.

Thus, the industrial propaganda has tried to convince the nation that cash-and-carry neutrality will get America into war.

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Star Dust

★ Too Many Good Ones
★ Gang Busters!
★ Arnie Shaw Goes G. B.
By Virginia Cole

THAT argument between Betty Davis and Warner Brothers should be a record of some kind. Usually a star promotes because she either wants better stories or more money.

Miss Davis didn't want either. She gets the best stories that the studio can find; in fact, the studio can't find a good one without trying to buy it for her.

The latest purchase is "No Time for Comedy," the play that Katharine Cornell has been going so successfully for so long on the New York stage.

It's said that George Brent will play opposite Miss Davis in the role done in New York by Laurence Olivier.

Miss Davis' complaint is that they buy too many of these good stories for her—in other words, she works too hard. Since last January she has been trying to buy it for her.

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NORTH DAKOTA HAS ITS 50TH BIRTHDAY

North Dakota is today marking its fiftieth anniversary as a state since it was admitted to the Union on November 2nd, 1889. Celebrations are being held in different cities of the state in honor of the occasion.

North Dakota was admitted to the Union under a proclamation signed by President Benjamin Harrison, terminating its 28 years existence as part of Dakota territory.

Settlements were few and scattered when North Dakota first became a state, and most of the railway lines now traversing the state were built since that time. The famed Red River Valley section along the east border of the state was first settled, and as railroads pushed farther west to reach the Pacific coast, the tide of settlement moved westward with them. Progressive towns and well-fitted farms today occupy the plains of Dakota where the buffalo roamed years ago.

NEW G. N. AGENT HERE. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Atchison and son came yesterday from Hensel, N. D., and are taking up residence in the Eldon house on Water street. Mr. Atchison was recently appointed Great Northern station agent at this place.

THIEF RIVER MAN KILLED. Franklin H. Baker, age 80, a resident of Thief River Falls for over twenty years, was killed Sunday when struck by a car at one of the street intersections in that city. The car which struck Mr. Baker was driven by Palmer Peterson also of that city. At a coroner's inquest held Monday, Mr. Peterson was cleared of blame, the jury holding the mishap was an unavoidable accident.

Mr. Baker, a former resident of Roseau county, resided in Thief River Falls with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Pope.

Announcement---

THANKSGIVING TURKEY DRESSING DAYS are November 6th to 15th. If you have not already listed, will appreciate having same done as quickly as possible.

POLITRY: During turkey dressing days we are unable to dress poultry. For the week of Nov. 6-11 we will appreciate it if you will hold your poultry. It is impossible to keep live poultry in our feeding batteries for more than a week. Start bringing us poultry again on November 18th.

PETERSON-BIDDICK CO.

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Some folks
have never cooked
electrically... but
those who HAVE,
say they wouldn't
CHANGE
for anything.

Folks who want
a really big gasoline value
buy **FIRE-CHIEF**

Was motorist from coast--he chose Fire-Chief gasoline. They know this--at his price you can't buy a better gasoline. Be thrifty. Choose Fire-Chief for the economy. And enjoy it for its brilliant, lively power... its quicker starts. Drive fast!

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MOTHER DIES SUDDENLY

Mrs. Martin Hallstrom received sad tidings Friday evening of death of her mother, Mrs. Peters, which occurred that evening near the family home south of Viking. Mrs. Peters had attended a church service, and passed away before medical aid could be summoned. Funeral services were held Monday.

GROW ANNOUNCES DEADLINE FOR AAA FARM PROGRAMS

Information relative to the final date for accepting applications for payments in connection with the agricultural conservation program has been received by the county association, states Howard S. Grow, county agent.

The final date for accepting applications for the 1939 program is the 1938 program is December 31.

The closing date for accepting applications for the 1939 program is January 21, 1940.

The closing date for accepting applications for the 1940 program is January 21, 1941.

The closing date for accepting applications for the 1941 program is January 21, 1942.

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The closing date for accepting applications for the 1957 program is January 21, 1958.

The closing date for accepting applications for the 1958 program is January 21, 1959.

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Aside from a few overturned outcousers, there was little activity by Halloween pranksters here Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Brink are making preparations to leave soon to spend the winter months in California.

Mrs. Effie Rolland is moving from the Jorgensen house on South Broadway to the Emu Just cottage west of the trucks.

Members of the local school, accompanied by John Hansen, motored Monday afternoon to Fisher to see a new building project just completed in that village.

Mrs. A. F. Hitter and Mrs. A. Porvin of Cass Lake and Mrs. Selma Engstad of Jessie Lake visited here during the week-end at home of their father, Peter Simonson.

Miss Hilma Halle and Pedro Rose of Fosston, accompanied by Mrs. A. O. Strom and Mrs. A. J. Hedlund of McIntosh, motored up Sunday for a brief visit at the home of their cousin, Eva Johnson.

Henry Sande, accompanied by his brother, Clarence of Thief River Falls, motored yesterday to Minneapolis. Upon returning, they will be accompanied by Mrs. Henry Sande who has been taking treatments at a Twin City clinic. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sande plan to leave soon to make their home at Thief River Falls for the winter months at least.

Chas. Lieberman, leading clothier at Thief River Falls, moved into his recently completed new store building last week. The new store, one of the finest clothing stores in this part of the state, is a credit to Thief River Falls as well as the enterprising proprietor who has served the people of this territory for over twenty-five years.

HOG CHOLERA OUTBREAK

Dr. L. R. Twest, veterinarian, reports a number of cases of hog cholera in this county, with other cases near Grand Forks. The disease is quite contagious, and is usually fatal to hogs that have not had serum treatment. Fearing a more widespread outbreak, many raisers are planning to market their animals at earliest possible time.

STATE SNOW FLEET READY FOR WINTER

Minnesota's highway snow fleet, one of the largest and most modern of its kind in the world is ready on an hour's notice for the annual million dollar battle with winter ice and snow whenever it comes. M. J. Hoffman, state highway commissioner, announced today.

Besides having its mechanical snow fighting units of trucks, plows, blades, sanders, in tip-top shape, the maintenance division of the state highway department has already stockpiled at strategic locations near hills and curves, approximately 50,000 tons of sand and calcium chloride mix in order to be ready for the first alert storm. In addition to the above, the department places each fall and removes each spring approximately 1,200 miles of snow fence on its 1,400 mile trunk highway system.

B. H. PIERSON IS DEAD. Word has been received here of the death of Burt H. Pierson which occurred Wednesday, October 25 at his home at Minneapolis. Mr. Pierson and family resided on a farm in Rockbury township northwest of this village for many years before moving to Minneapolis some years ago, and will be recalled by many old friends in this community.

Deceased is survived by his wife, two sons, Guy and Wesley and a daughter, Mrs. Sylvia Doken, all of Minneapolis, and by another daughter, Miss Davidson of Stillwater, also by a sister, brother and seven grandchildren. Interment took place last Friday in Crystal Lake Cemetery at Minneapolis.

First snow of any amount for this fall season fell Saturday. About two inches fell during the day, but thawing weather Monday and part of Tuesday caused most of it to disappear.

H. F. Hanson, oldtime resident of this village, who has not been in the best of health for past two or three years, was taken Tuesday to the state hospital at Fergus Falls in the hope that the specialized treatment available there would be of some benefit to him. Friends hope for his speedy recovery.

RADIO SOUNDS ALARM TO SLEEPING FAMILY. Aaker-Inventors may receive a suggestion from an incident which happened in the John Shamsouer home in Pine City recently. In the middle of the night the family was awakened by the radio playing. Lightning had struck the aerial and traveled on down to the radio, causing it to play and thus starting a fire. Mr. Shamsouer extinguished the fire and found only a small amount of damage had been done. The radio was ruined but its playing enabled him to put out a fire which might have ruined his home.

SPECIAL CREAMERY MEETING NOV. 15TH

A special meeting of stockholders of the creamery association has been called for Wednesday, Nov. 15, to set on installation of a system of cold storage lockers at the creamery plant. The locker system for storage of fresh meats, vegetables, poultry, etc., is meeting with marked success everywhere, and plans have been installed in many creameries in this state. Smaller plants of the same type also are being put in meat markets and food stores to provide the public with the same type of service at low cost. Inquiry among stockholders of the creamery reveals practically all in favor of the plan. The special meeting will decide type and size of plant best suited for this particular territory.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Association will be held in the Village of St. Hilaire, at the Jackson hall on Wednesday the 15th day of November, 1939, at 1:30 P. M. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss, and take action on the installation of cold storage lockers in conjunction with the creamery, and the proposition of amending Article VIII of the Articles of Incorporation also will be taken up at this meeting. All stockholders are urged to be present.

By resolution of the Board of Directors and by order of C. O. Swanson, president, as required by Section 4, Chapter 299, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1923.

Dated October 25, 1939.

Roy Randorf, Secretary.

We also extend a cordial invitation to others who are interested in cold storage lockers, to attend.

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Noted for India

The Sequoia Semperparva, popular known as the Redwood tree, was named in honor of Sequoia, inventor of the telegraph. The tree and a half million acres of redwood trees are located within the Redwood empire.

FLOUR!

Exchange Wheat for Flour
SEE US FOR SPECIAL EXCHANGE PRICES

Math Barzen Co., Inc.

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Your Creamery

The creamery, organized and built by the people of this community because they saw a need for co-operative marketing of their farm products, can grow and prosper only in the same proportion as it is patronized by the people of the community. Work and boost for the creamery. The more you patronize it, the greater your profits will be.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

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BRAY

Mrs. Nobby and daughter,
 Constance and Lois of Minneapolis
 and Laura Hegstad of
 Mankato spent the week-end
 visiting at the L. C. Hegstad
 home.

Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Olson
 visited at the Walter Olson
 home at St. Hilaire Wednesday
 evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Melcher Erickson
 and sons and Emil Erickson
 and August Scholl left
 Sunday for California, where
 they will visit with relatives
 for an indefinite time.

The following enjoyed a Hal-
 loween party at the N. P. Scholz
 home Sunday evening:
 Mrs. and Gust Peterson and
 Murie, Mr. and Mrs. Alex
 Swanson and family, Mr. and
 Mrs. Bill Kruse and family,
 Mr. and Mrs. Christ Kruse and
 family, Mr. and Mrs. Eber
 Conklin and family, Mrs. Henry
 Orloff, Helen and Orville and
 Mr. and Mrs. John Steiger and
 family.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peterson
 and Theresa Peterson spent
 Tuesday evening visiting at the
 Emil Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hanson
 and daughter, Gladys visited at
 Ted Anderson's Sunday after-
 noon.

Selmer Olson, Helen, Vivian,
 Joyce and Elaine visited at the
 Emil Larson home Sunday
 evening.

Mrs. and Mrs. Anne Lindquist
 and daughter, Janet, Mrs. and
 Mr. Aldrich Hoffman of
 Goodridge and Alice Lindquist
 of Thief River Falls visited at
 the Alfred Lindquist home
 Sunday.

Mrs. Victor Peterson and
 Alice Borgen of Grand Forks
 visited at Gust Johnson's Tues-
 day.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Blazer
 and son left Saturday to spend
 the week-end visiting at Mrs.
 Blazer's parental home over the
 week-end.

Mrs. Walter Olson and Mrs.
 Selmer Olson visited at the
 Victor Olson and Ted Anderson
 home.

Esther Helstad spent Wed-
 nesday and Thursday visiting
 at Emil Larson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Erickson
 are the proud parents of a baby
 boy born Thursday, Oct. 26.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Swanson
 and Mrs. Emil Larson at-
 tended the Ladies Aid soci-
 ety at Thief River Falls Sat-
 urday evening.

Mrs. Lillian Lindholm visited with
 Hilary Abernethy Sunday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Martin Froland
 and daughter, Margaret, of
 Thief River Falls were Friday
 evening supper guests at the
 Selmer Olson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Scholl
 and son, Leroy, and Mrs. and
 Mr. J. O. Swanson were Sun-
 day visitors at the J. O.
 Swanson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson
 and Lillian spent Sunday after-
 noon visiting at the Christ Pe-
 terson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Finn visit-
 ing at the Ted Anderson home
 Sunday evening.

Mrs. and Mrs. Eldon Erickson
 visited at the O. K. Seyers home
 Tuesday evening.

The following helped Nick
 Scholz celebrate his birthday
 Wednesday evening: Mr. and
 Mrs. Alex Swanson and family,
 Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kruse, Mr.
 and Mrs. Christ Kruse, Shirley
 and Darlene and Mr. and Mrs.
 Gust Peterson and Murie.

Mrs. Walter Olson of St. Hilaire
 visited Sunday with her sister
 Mrs. Selmer Olson.

BLACK RIVER

Miss Myrtle Person spent
 the week-end at the home of
 her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil
 Person.

Iazel and Hilding Adolphson
 spent the week-end at the home of
 their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil
 Person.

The following spent Saturday
 evening at the home of Mr. and
 Mrs. Gust Peterson and family:
 Mrs. J. E. Beebe, Mrs. May
 Jones, Mr. and Mrs. V. G.
 Brink, Miss Marie Fredrickson
 and Harry Winter.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Erickson
 and family and Emil Erickson
 and August Scholl left on Sun-
 day for the Western Coast where
 they will visit for an indefi-
 nite time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Hahn and
 daughters and Ethel and
 Alfred Hahn were Sunday
 dinner guests at the home of
 Alex Adolphson.

Mrs. Fens Aderson and
 daughter spent a few days visit-
 ing at the home of Mr. and
 Mrs. Charles Hallstrom at
 Thief River Falls.

Miss Swan Johnson and Myr-
 tie's were Wednesday evening
 visitors at the home of Mr. and
 Mrs. Aderson.

Lindquist.
 Norman Buckden, Mrs. V. G.
 Brink and Art Jacobson, son of
 Mrs. E. V. Evelyn, Minn.
 where they will visit a few days
 with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Buckden
 and daughter, Bess, and Mrs.
 and Mr. J. O. Swanson and
 family were Sunday dinner
 guests at the home of Mr. and
 Mrs. Ray Buckden in Virginia.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahlie
 visited Thursday evening at
 the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gun-
 nar Lindquist.

There will be no change in the
 program for distribution of free
 surplus commodities for the
 week-end, according to word re-
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500 PARENTS ARE

EXPECTED AT N. W.

SCHOOL SATURDAY

The annual Parents' Day will be
 observed at the Northwest School
 of Agriculture, Coonville, on Sat-
 urday, November 4. Superintendent
 J. M. McCall announced that
 more than five hundred parents
 are expected to attend the school
 on that day, and an additional
 500 parents and members of
 their families will be present
 for the afternoon program and
 student exhibit project show.

A program of class visitation
 for parents is planned for the
 morning with special open house
 in the recently enlarged and re-
 modelled Oren Hall. The five labo-
 ratories and three classrooms for
 agricultural engineering and three
 classrooms for business training,
 all located in Oren Hall, have
 been newly equipped and will be
 open for inspection Parents' Day.

Following the class visitation
 program has been arranged for
 the afternoon. Dean W. Coffey
 of the Department of Agriculture,
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HAZEL

Mrs. Martha Lokken moved from
 Margaret Loken moved from the
 old Knutson place south of Hazel
 on Monday to the Peter
 Nelson home where they will
 make their home for the win-
 ter.

Kathryn and Bill Walls of
 Wahalla, N. Dak., came Mon-
 day for a week's visit with
 their parents Mr. and Mrs.
 Charles Walls.

Mrs. Walter Odegard at-
 tended a birthday party in
 honor of Miss Adeline Rose at
 the Ralph Johnson home on
 Thief River Falls on Saturday
 afternoon.

Mrs. Martin Ellingson and
 Mayme Anderson were Monday
 afternoon visitors of Mrs. Oscar
 Odegard.

Mrs. and Mrs. Carl Alberg
 and family were Sunday dinner
 guests at the home of Mr. and
 Mrs. Harry Rannum (Lillian
 Alberg) at Rosewood.

Rev. M. L. Dahlie of St. Hilaire
 called at the Ole Odegard
 home Tuesday.

The St. Paul Ladies' Aid will
 meet at the home of Mrs. L. H.
 Monday afternoon, Nov. 24.
 Medames Ole Thune and Ole
 Lin and Mrs. Herman Rude

and Betty Ann of North
 Dakota were Thursday visitors
 at the Martha Lokken home.
 Miss Hazel Nelson, who has
 been employed at the Art We
 did home returned to her home
 on Saturday evening.

Stanley Rose accompanied by
 Floyd and Phyllis Prestby of
 Thief River Falls, returned Sat-
 urday evening to Fargo, N.
 Dak., to attend a birthday
 party in honor of Paul Borgie
 Jr., at the home of his parents,
 Mr. and Mrs. Paul Borgie. They
 returned home Sunday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Adrian Ander-
 son and daughter, Abbie, visited
 at the Herman Sandberg home
 on Tuesday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Morris Ode-
 gard and children and Phoebe
 Anderson of Thief River Falls.
 Mrs. Signe Evensen, Canby and
 Ed. Evensen of Krakra, Minn.
 and Mrs. Oscar Odegard and
 children, Mr. and Mrs. Pete
 Nelson and Gladys Nelson, Mr.
 and Mrs. Adrian Anderson,
 Mayme and Erling Anderson
 were supper guests on Sunday
 evening at the home of Mr. and
 Mrs. Ole Odegard.

Trene Walls spent Friday
 night Sunday at Crookston
 visiting with her mother, Mrs.
 Mary Barteldson.

Mrs. and Mrs. Oscar Sealstad
 and Omar Sealstad of Thief
 River Falls Saturday visitors
 at the Adrian Anderson and
 Ole Odegard homes.

Baldo did not come to the
 party. Mrs. Signe Evensen of Krakra
 spent the week-end visiting
 with her daughter, Mrs. Oscar
 Odegard and family.

Mrs. Harry Rannum returned
 Friday evening to her home at
 Rosewood after spending a
 week visiting with her parents,
 Mr. and Mrs. Carl Alberg.
 Mrs. and Mrs. John Apha,
 Mrs. and Mrs. George Atlin,
 Mr. and Mrs. Leo Swantick of
 Lancaster, Minn., Art Ander-
 son and Sofia Bjerkness of
 Grygla, Phoebe Anderson of
 Thief River Falls, Mr. and
 Mrs. Herman Sandberg and children
 visited at the Adrian Anderson
 home on Sunday.

Oscar and Harvey Odegard
 and Donald Johnson attended the
 Homecoming football game at
 Concordia College at
 Moorhead on Saturday. They
 also visited with friends and
 relatives at Fargo, N. Dak.

Mrs. Adrian Anderson,
 Mayme Anderson and Mrs.
 Sennie Johnson visited with
 Mrs. Oscar Borgie on Wednes-
 day afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson,
 Pearl, Helen, Norman, Raymon
 and Henry Nelson and Gladys
 Nelson were Sunday dinner
 guests at the home of Mr. and
 Mrs. Clarence Wickherf (Myr-
 tie Nelson) at Thief River Falls.

HUNTER BLASTS PLANS

First Eddie Croft is shown in
 inspecting shotgun holes in a plane
 in which the lives of three per-
 sons were endangered by a hun-
 ter whose accidental shot had
 hit the plane twice. The accident
 occurred at Centerville in Anoka
 county.

Nov. 24
 Order for Hearing on Final Account and
 Status of Bankruptcy
 In the District Court of the United States
 for the District of Minnesota
 In the case of J. O. Swanson, Debtor
 vs. J. O. Swanson, Creditor
 The undersigned, J. O. Swanson, do hereby
 certify that the above named debtor
 is a resident of the State of Minnesota
 and that he is a citizen of the United States
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H. F. HANSON DIED TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Hans F. Hanson, honored and respected citizen of this village for thirty years or more, died Tuesday afternoon at the state hospital at Fergus Falls where he was taken the previous Tuesday following a two year period of failing health. The cause of death was a cerebral hemorrhage. Members of his family, called Monday by his critical illness, were with him when he died.

Mr. Hanson, who was 75 years, 3 months and 15 days of age, was born near Christiansand, Norway in 1864. His youth was spent in that country. At the age of 21 years he came to America to settle at Halstad where he was united in marriage to Rosa Hage who survives him. They resided in Halstad community for a number of years before coming to this village where Mr. Hanson was employed in the sawmill. In 1911 Mr. Hanson and family moved to Mapleton, N. D. where he became foreman of the Dalrymple farm, one of the large grain farms in North Dakota. Twenty-five years ago the family returned here, and this place has since been the family home.

Besides his wife, Mr. Hanson is survived by two sons, Fred of Thief River Falls, and Arthur of this village, and by two daughters, (Conna) of Thief River Falls, and (Mildred) Mrs. Alfred Enard of Red Lake Falls. He also is survived by one grandson, Lloyd Harold Johnson.

For a number of years Mr. Hanson was manager of the local elevator which position is now held by his son. A man of sterling character, he was often honored by election to public office. He was a member of the village council, served on the school board, and was a member of the board of trustees of the Norwegian Lutheran church.

During his many years of residence in the village, Mr. Hanson raised a wide circle of friends who will miss him. As a special indication of respect to Mr. Hanson and his family, all business places in the village were closed today during the time of his funeral which was held at 2 o'clock at the Norwegian Lutheran church with Rev. M. L. Dahle officiating. The church was filled to overflowing by friends from near and far, and many beautiful floral tributes were in evidence. Interment took place in the cemetery east of the village.

A travelling photographer was here Wednesday taking interior views of the different business places.

P. T. A. FRIDAY NIGHT

Next regular meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association will be held at the school assembly Friday night this week. Rev. E. A. Cooke of Thief River Falls will be speaker of the evening. There will also be a short program of musical numbers, and lunch will be served following the program.

SPECIAL ELECTION SET FOR NOV. 25

As will be noted by public notice elsewhere in this issue, the school board has called for another special election in this district to be held Nov. 25. Because some changes have been found necessary in the plans, the board finds a title larger sum will be needed than was authorized at a previous special election. In other words, the board finds it will be necessary to spend not to exceed \$6,000 whereas the previous election permitted it to spend not in excess of \$5,000, and this election is to grant authority to expend the additional sum.

RICHARD RE-ELECTED
Mayor Wm. Prichard of Thief River was re-elected to the city in Tuesday's municipal election, by a margin of eight votes over his opponent, W. Poville, according to unofficial tabulation. It is reported the latter will demand a recount of the ballots being as the margin is so close.

Tom Groves is building a partition across part of his business place to make smaller quarters for the winter months. He also is re-arranging the interior and making some necessary repairs.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Association will be held in the Village of St. Hilaire, at the Jackson hall on Wednesday the 15th day of November, 1936, at 1:30 P. M. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss, and take action on the installation of cold storage lockers in conjunction with the creamery, and the proposition of amending Article VII of the Articles of Incorporation also will be taken up at this meeting. All stockholders are urged to be present.

By resolution of the Board of Directors and by order of C. O. Swanson, president, as required by Section 4, Chapter 326, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1925.

Dated October 25, 1936.
Roy Randorf, Secretary.
We also extend a cordial invitation to others who are interested in cold storage lockers, to attend. N-2-c

Armistice Day—1939



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Dr. D. S. Horn, the Ulen dentist, was here both Monday and Tuesday this week attending to his local practice.

A big crowd is expected to attend the special creamery meeting which will be held here Wednesday, Nov. 11.

Co. Commissioner Paul Roy was at the county seat Tuesday to preside at regular monthly meeting of the county board.

Wm. Engle is building an addition to his house located on the old city hall site, and expects to have it finished within a week.

Mrs. Effie Rolland and brother, Cornel Aubol, are moving today from the Jorgensen place to the Aubol section of the G. N. station.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sande returned this week from Minneapolis where the latter has been receiving medical treatment for a few weeks.

A huge amount of flax straw, both baled and loose, is being hauled from this section and from territory north of Thief River Falls to the flax tow mill at Red Lake Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Brink, accompanied by Felix Anderson and daughter, left Friday morning enroute to Fresno, Calif., to visit with relatives and to spend the winter months.

Gunnard Lindquist, who lost part of a finger and sustained a badly lacerated hand in a wood saw accident recently, is experiencing some trouble with infection in the wound.

Mr. C. O. Aubol and sons, Alvin and Harold, motored here Saturday from Big Lake for a visit at the Ed. Aubol home. They left Sunday to visit relatives near Mayville, N. D., before returning to their home at Big Lake.

Regular meeting of the B. M. Club was held at the club room Monday night with very good attendance.

The Luther League of the Norwegian Lutheran church will meet at the church Wednesday, November 11.

Dr. Manfred Dahle came Tuesday from Warroad for a visit at the home of his parents, Rec. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Larson and two sons of Ada were visitors here last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Olmstead.

The Concordia College band of Moorhead, will give a concert at the Auditorium at Thief River Falls, Friday, November 14.

A. W. Sampson has accepted a position as foreman at Blackmoor Farms northeast of here, and moved there recently with his family.

The Gazette at Red Lake Falls is installing a modern newspaper press to replace one that has seen service for over twenty years.

In the city election yesterday at Red Lake Falls, Dr. J. A. Roy was re-elected mayor without opposition, and will serve his fifth term.

The high school pupils have started to work during their spare time at cleaning the ice rink site in preparation for flooding when the weather becomes colder.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Skarbo and daughters, and Mrs. S. J. Amble were here Sunday from Grand Forks to attend the confirmation service at the N. L. church, and also for a visit at the A. V. Jacobson home.

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TWO THANKSGIVINGS

State officials have announced that the only legal Thanksgiving day in Minnesota is the traditional last Thursday of this month which is the 30th. All state offices and people in general throughout the state will observe that day, but all federal officials and offices, including postoffices, mail carriers, etc., have received notification from Washington that Thanksgiving Day for them will be Nov. 23rd, the date fixed by proclamation of President Roosevelt. If this arrangement requires the consumption of twice as many turkeys as before, turkey raisers here will welcome it.

JUNIOR CLASS PLAY

The Junior class of the local high school will present their play, "Gay," a three act comedy, in the school auditorium, Friday evening, November 17, at 8 o'clock.

"Gay" Marshall, an attractive modern young girl, has been reared by a maiden aunt and bachelor uncle, yet contrary to her name, she is not gay. It is her efforts to be "really" Marshall, that provides the action, comedy, and suspense of the play, which that Bobby Ellis, whom mothers adore and girls shun. Then too, there are Annette Burns, who declares "she was born with a fever," and Dick Royster, who arouses Bobby to his possibilities. Aunt Betty's telephone conversation in the third act is a picnic and Uncle Jim's appearance in a nightgown climaxes a riotous scene. Elsie, Jean, and Millie are happier friends of Gay. It is their borrowing clothes from Gay, in order to attend a dance to which the latter is not invited, together with their philosophy that a girl can't be "too good and be popular" any more that causes Gay to revolt and kick over the traces of a staid small town existence.

The cast is as follows:
Gay Marshall — Darlene Olson
Miss Betty Marshall — Miss Ditty Marshall
Helen Kaiser — Helen Kaiser
James Warren — Warren Biskie
Bobby Ellis — Raymond Larson
Annette Burns — Marie Erickson
Dick Royster — Dick Royster

Elsie — Raymond Bothman
Jean — Ruth Pearson
Millie — Elaine Borge
Alice — Alice Carpenter

BANG'S AREA TEST STARTS HERE NOV. 27

November 27 has been set as the starting date for the Area Test of all cattle for Bang's Disease in Pennington county, by the Minnesota Livestock Sanitary Board. Twenty-one Federal Veterinarians will work in the field. They will be assisted by local help. Seven veterinarians will work in the laboratory that will be set up in the Courthouse of the Courthouse. All blood samples will be plated in the laboratory here, so that all of the cattle will be tested during the two-week period November 27 to December 11.

There are about 20,000 cattle in the county and if the entire test is to be completed in the allotted time, it will be necessary for every person to co-operate at all times. If the infection is less than one-half of one per cent, the county will be declared free, and only infected herds will be tested during the next three years.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of the council held Nov. 6, at the council room. All members present except Gignea. On motion the following bills were allowed: Ben Rosendahl, labor — \$ 1.75
A. Hambeck, police 5
dances ————— 20.00
O. Haug, special police, phone call ————— 3.20
Ruel Rolland, special police ————— 3.00
Elmer Johnson, special police ————— 3.00
N. Holmes, police, dance 3.00
Nels Pearson, labor — 1.22
Dick Neumann, labor — 1.22
Ed. Hage, wood for village ————— 4.25
C. Schantzen, grader repair, etc. ————— 11.00
M. Jackson, groc. — 5.17
Mrs. Evelyn, milk, — 12
Mortus made ————— 12
that village purchase 700 lineal feet of snow fence and posts for the same, and also for tax reduction by Dr. Twete was recommended.
No other business, the meeting adjourned.

ELMER JOHNSON, Clerk
A. Saterberg, Pres.

FLOUR!

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HOW TO SEW



THE little came home, but not to weep at Mother's shoulder. "There are too many hair spots in our house," she said; "and I want to rummage in your attic." "You are welcome," replied Mother, "but you will find no antiques—nothing there but junk."

A golden old dresser, a chrome in a wide gold frame; and an old piano stool, were carried away. Varnish remover and plain drawer pulls transformed the old dresser into a new one.

AROUND the HOUSE

Variety in Fruit—If your family likes variety, serve stewed prunes, apricots, fresh berries, apples, fruit juices and fresh fruits. A whole week can be covered without repeating.

Refreshing Cider—Cider which has become wilted may be refreshed by standing in a jug of water to which a pinch of bicarbonate of soda has been added.

For Ink Stains—Immerse an ink-stained handkerchief in water immediately after it has been stained, allow it to soak and the ink will disappear.

Keeping Suet—When next you buy meat, melt it in the oven, and then pour into jars. When cold it is more easily stored and will keep much longer.

Feeling Squashy—Squash may be easily cooled if it is first put into the oven and thoroughly warmed.

Tightly Cover Baking Powder—Baking powder should be tightly covered and stored in a cool, dry place to preserve leavening power.

When Had Last Laugh On Critical Councilors

St. Christopher Wren, builder of St. Paul's cathedral, and many other famous churches, was held responsible for the Town Hall in Wimpole, in 1896, but the good councilors had misgivings about his work.

They complained to him that the big hall had no pillars to support it, and despite Wren's protest that it had been designed that way and was safe, demanded that supporting pillars be placed in position.

When agreed to do so, and had four pillars erected. But some years later it was discovered that the pillars did not reach the ceiling, and there was a space big enough for a man's hand to pass between.



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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. LABINE

Rumania May Be Next Victim Of Soviet's Westward Drive; Dull War Hurts Nazi Morale

EDITOR'S NOTE—When optimism are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.

SPEAKING OF...

AVIATION. As Clyde Schlegel and West Coast landed their endurance machines at Los Angeles with a world record (28 hours) and three days better than the old mark, two Peruvian brothers left El Dorado field in New York for a non-stop flight back to Lima.

LABOR. Acting Navy Secretary Charles Edison reported to the house naval affairs committee that C. I. O.'s United Automobile Workers' union was jeopardizing the navy's aviation program.

INDIANA. When a British white paper pointed "until after the war" consideration of India's plea for dominion, the Indian people's government was alarmed and bitter.

LOUISIANA. When New Orleans Attorney Charles A. Byrne alleged that the city had lost \$200,000 in the hands of the city's French troops, Byrne resigned and was replaced by Mayor E. L. Long.

AGRICULTURE. With U. S. soybean exports at six times better than in 1933 thanks to the war, farm officials think 1940's wheat, corn and soybean crops will be heavy.

THE NEUTRALS: Bogy Men

A warning paper can line up its weaker neutral neighbors either by back-slapping or jaw-punching. The former more becomes an advantage; the latter is useful under stress.

GERMANY. Russia. The war north, where Finland was still refusing renouncing Russian demands, Foreign Minister Ribbentrop said.

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CONGRESS: To the House. British-French cheers reverberated across the Atlantic when the U. S. senate passed, 63 to 20, the administration's neutrality bill.

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PATTERN DEPARTMENT



AN EXTREMELY new and very becoming dress fashion is shown in pattern No. 1841. It has the smart double swing skirt, cut on a true princess line that whistles down your waist, and offers a choice of two necklines—one with a tailored collar, the other high and collarless. Also you can make it with long or short sleeves. The row of buttons down the front is very Victorian—therefore more for show than for use.

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RITES HELD FOR SOLOMON SWANSON

Solomon Swanson, pioneer settler in River township south of here, and well known throughout this section, passed away at his home Monday morning at the ripe old age of 89 years and 10 months, death being due to infirmities of old age.

Mr. Swanson was born January 7th, 1850 at Olenema, Effingham, in Western Sweden. His youth and early years were spent in Sweden, and he came to America in April, 1883. For a short time he was located at Crookston where he was united in marriage to Christine Johnson on November 22nd of that year. Shortly thereafter they moved to his homestead in River township where the family has since resided, and where Mrs. Swanson died March 19, 1938.

Coming to this community when it was practically a wilderness, Mr. and Mrs. Swanson endured all the hardships incident to pioneer life; took active part in development of their home community, and raised a large family. They lived to see the original homestead deeded from a brush covered area to one of the best cultivated farms in that section which remains as a monument to their industry and foresight. Their home was a gathering place for the people in that vicinity, and a warm welcome always awaited all comers. Good friends and neighbors, they were highly esteemed by all who knew them.

Mr. Swanson is survived by four sons and four daughters, who are: Walter, Carl and Fred, all residing in River township; Arthur at St. Paul, Ida at Minneapolis; Ellen at St. Paul, and Jennie and Mabel who reside at home. Another daughter, Mrs. Selma Anderson, preceded her parents in death in December, 1925 at St. Paul. Also surviving are seven grandchildren, two great grandchildren besides a number of nephews and nieces here and in Sweden.

Funeral services for Mr. Swanson were held at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the local Mission Covenant church of which the deceased and family had long been members. Rev. Roy N. Wherry officiated. Rev. O. J. Lundell of Thief River Falls, an old friend of Mr. Swanson, and Rev. George Peterson of Bemidji, former pastor in this charge, also were present and spoke at the church as well as at the graveside service. The church was filled to capacity by the large number of neighbors and old friends who came to pay their last respects to one esteemed by them all. Included among the out-of-town people present were all the county commissioners of Red

Lake county of which Carl Swanson, son of the deceased, is a member, as well as other county officials. Many beautiful floral tributes, expressing love and esteem to the deceased and his family, were in evidence.

Interment was in the family plot in the cemetery east of the village where Mrs. Swanson is buried.

HUNTING SEASON CLOSED

The season for taking of migratory game birds such as ducks and geese, closed Tuesday this week. Owing to the mild weather, open water, and sufficient good food hundreds of ducks and geese are still staying in this section. Persons who were issued small game licenses this year, are reminded that the report card attached to their licenses should be detached, filled out and mailed to address shown, before the first of January.

HONORED ON ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. William Yonke were pleasantly surprised last Sunday by a large number of relatives and friends, the occasion being their silver wedding anniversary. A very pleasant time was spent in getting together. A feature of the party was a very pretty wedding cake on a silver plate which adorned the dinner table together with a bouquet of white chrysanthemums and pink roses. As a token of remembrance of the happy occasion, Mr. and Mrs. Yonke were presented a plate of silver by their friends.

MARIONETTE SHOW

The Rufus Ross Famous World's Fair Marionettes, a puppet show, will give two performances Wednesday, Nov. 22, at the Auditorium at Thief River Falls. The proceeds to be for benefit of the Carnegie Public Library of that city. "Pinocchio" the story of a puppet that came to life, also a puppet carnival especially for children. At 8:00 that evening "Treasure Island" by Robert Louis Stevenson, will be staged in addition to a variety show in eight acts. Admission is fixed at 10c, 15c and 35c for either of the performances.

BASKETBALL GAME

St. Hilaire high school will open its basketball season with a game with Plummer, Friday, Nov. 24. This will be the "home game" for the local team, the net receipts going to the local athletic association. Because of the last mentioned feature, a good attendance is greatly desired. Transportation will be furnished by the two buses for all who desire to go. Charge for the game and transportation will be low. If you wish a ride in the bus served, call the school office.

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Talks About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Wm. Engh has nearly finished a nest addition to his cottage located on the former village hall site.

After spending a couple of weeks here at the home of her brother, N. E. Reed, Mrs. May at the church parlors on Friday, November 24. The annual meeting will be held at this time.

A new road is being opened south of town between the Norman and Helm lands and leading east to the new set of buildings erected by Emil Hilaire.

Rev. E. A. Cooke of Thief River Falls gave a very interesting talk last Friday evening at a meeting of the Parents Teachers Association held at the school building.

A crew of state highway department engineers are working at Red Lake Falls trying to lay out a satisfactory route for T. H. No. 32 thru that city. A number of surveys have been made so far.

The school bus garage was wired for electric service this week. Rapidly shortening days made it necessary to have light for the buses after return from afternoon trips over their routes.

Relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Scholin, in number of about eighty, helped them celebrate their silver wedding anniversary Saturday at their home west of here. A detailed account of the gathering will be found in the Bray news in this issue.

Scenes about the village this second week of November such as children playing marbles, ball games, outdoor basketball, and the smell of smoke from grass fires is more like spring than fall. However, the good idea to get the storm and doors closed just in case the weather turns, should change his mind.

CLASS PLAY FRIDAY

The Junior Class of the local high school will present their class play "Gay," a humorous play from start to finish, at the school assembly Friday evening this week starting at 8:00. The cast has practiced diligently the past week and offer a full evening of clean entertainment. No one should miss seeing this play.

HEN TAKES LONG RIDE

One evening a short time ago when Lowell Hawkins had driven in to town from his home ten miles west of here, he discovered one of his Leghorn pullets perched on the half of the fence surrounding the running board, having made the trip over some rough roads and at fairly good speed at times, without being dislodged from its perch. Even after the car was parked, the pullet made no effort to leave the car.

WHAT A RED CROSS MEMBERSHIP MEANS

Membership in the Red Cross enables men and women of good will to be active participants in an organization that stands for the spirit of neighborliness, of sympathy and understanding, at home and abroad. Memberships are converted into service, bringing health, comfort and happiness to countless thousands of fellow human beings every year.

Over fifty St. Hilaire citizens have shown their interest in this fine organization, in our recent drive for memberships. Have you joined yet? There is still time. Let us hear from you. One half of the membership dollar goes to the National organization and the other half remains in the local chapter. We are now having glasses fitted and tonsils removed for several local children. Your memberships are making this possible.

SUBSCRIPTION CAMPAIGN

The grades 7-8 and 9-12 of the local school are organized in two teams to solicit subscriptions for magazines. The campaign is being put on by the Curtis Publishing Company. The school will realize a liberal commission on all subscriptions and renewals, the proceeds to be divided equally between the Athletic and Music Activities Funds. The youngsters will appreciate any and all favors shown them.

FOLLOWING DEATH OF A HOG

Following death of a hog, from what was said to be cholera, here last Saturday, people in the village and vicinity commenced converting their hogs into dressed pork rather than take any chances with an outbreak of the disease.

THE RAILWAY COMPANY

The railway company and state highway department have taken advantage of the ideal weather lately to burn weeds and grass along their right-of-ways. Many private land owners have done likewise which will help materially to keep the roads from becoming drifted when snow does come.

The Concordia College band of Moorhead, under direction of Prof. J. A. Hovik, is making another tour of North Dakota and Minnesota, beginning last Sunday and continuing thru Nov. 26. Of special interest to people in St. Hilaire will be the appearance with the band of Horis Haglund and Ruth Brink, both of this village, and LeVaughn St. John and Argyle, formerly of this place.

CREAMERY APPROVES LOCKER SYSTEM PLAN

At a special meeting of the St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Association held yesterday afternoon, unanimous approval was given the plan for installation of a system of cold storage lockers at the creamery plant. Authority for the board to proceed with installation of the new unit was contingent upon securing a certain number of signers for local service, but as nearly half of the signers needed was signed up during and immediately after the meeting yesterday, no difficulty is anticipated in securing the required number of signers. It also was decided at the meeting to amend certain parts of the Articles of Incorporation to permit financing of the lockers. It is expected they will be installed and ready for service before spring.

VILLAGE ELECTION DEC. 5

The annual village election is to be held Tuesday, December 5th, this year. Under the new election laws adopted by the 1939 Legislature, changes were made. Hereafter village elections will be held the first Tuesday after the first Monday in December. There will be no primary or caucus as elections will be conducted under the Australian system of balloting. Anyone wishing to become a candidate for office must file a notice of such intention and pay a fee of one dollar to the village clerk at least two weeks before election. No changes in length of term of village officers were made except in case of president of the council which will be for two years instead of one as heretofore.

The Deitz Battle of Cameron Dam, a moving picture of a memorable event during logging days in Wisconsin about thirty years ago, was shown to a small crowd here at the Do Drop Inn dance hall Tuesday night.

Gunnard Linquist, who has been a patient for a week at a Thief River hospital suffering from infection following amputation of a finger, is moving steadily and will be home soon.

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Bag Was Positively
Golf's Last Chance

The 64 man decided to try golf. Armed with six golf clubs, a ball, and a mallet, he marched off to the links.

The caddy placed the ball on the tee. Then, with a terrific swing, the fat man whirled his club through the air. But the little white ball remained on its tee, while the club, meeting no other earth, broke into splinters.

The second, third, fourth, and then the remaining clubs shared the fate of the first. "What would you do now?" asked the golfer of the caddy. "Hiding out the empty bag, the youngster replied, 'Don't give it to it with this!'"

All but White Spout
The layman use all but the white, instead of the blubber, only selling the best meat to those who cannot afford beef, making the scraps into cattle and chicken feed and the blood into fertilizer. Consequently, large blue whales, which once sold for approximately \$60, now bring around \$4,000—Collier's.

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Child's first catches itself With draughts which double thrill.—Acme.

OLD FOLKS

Conditions of Old Folks
The old folks are the backbone of the nation. They are the ones who have lived through the hard times and who have seen the country grow from a wilderness to a great nation. They are the ones who have taught us the value of hard work and the importance of family. They are the ones who have given us the best of our traditions and the best of our values. They are the ones who have made us what we are today. We must respect and care for them, for they are the foundation of our nation.

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QUESTIONS

New Hot-Water Bottle.—Add a teaspoonful of glycerine to the hot water when filling a new rubber hot-water bottle for the first time. This keeps the rubber soft and in good condition.

Care of Electric Cord.—Don't twist, bend or tie the so-called "coiled" attached to your electric iron. It is not a cord, but two bundles of wires.

Removing Odors.—Odors can be removed from bottles by rinsing with cold water to which a little dry mustard is added.

When Glass Breaks.—A handful of moistened absorbent cotton will pick up bits of broken glass without endangering the fingers.

CONSTIPATED!
Gas Crowds Heart.

Constipation is a real danger to health. It causes headache, indigestion, and a general feeling of uneasiness. It is often the result of a diet that is too rich in meat and fat, and too low in fiber. It can be prevented by eating a diet that is high in fiber, such as fruits, vegetables, and whole grains. It can also be treated with laxatives, but it is best to avoid them if possible.

There are Bounds
He that dips often at last drinks it up.

Do You Suffer From Nerves?

Nerves are the foundation of our health. When they are out of balance, we experience a variety of symptoms, including anxiety, depression, and physical ailments. There are many ways to treat nerve disorders, including therapy, medication, and lifestyle changes. It is important to seek professional help if you are experiencing symptoms of a nerve disorder.

Miserable
with backache?

Backache is a common problem that can be caused by a variety of factors, including poor posture, overexertion, and age-related changes in the spine. There are many ways to relieve back pain, including exercise, physical therapy, and painkillers. It is important to identify the cause of your backache and seek appropriate treatment.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. LABINE
More Neutrality Precautions
Expected in January Session;
Britain Calls U. S. Its 'Arsenal'

EDITOR'S NOTE.—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.

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AMERICAN BOMBERS LOADED FOR BRITAIN
Millions of dollars overnight, but what next?

Russia, which was said to extend clear to the Pacific.

While congress headed for a two month vacation, there was every sign that its work next January will hinge mostly on neutrality. Congress had just passed before adjournment a bill (H. R. 10,000) authorizing the President to provide for the repair of warships on weak spots of the new neutrality law; and it directed him to take steps to prevent the ready access to ship shippers who boats are used by neutrality. All boats are used by neutrality. All boats are used by neutrality. All boats are used by neutrality.

DOMESTIC:
'Arsenal'

"I am very glad that the bill has passed the House," said a member of the House. "It is a very important step in the direction of neutrality. It will help to prevent the export of war materials to belligerent nations. It will also help to prevent the export of war materials to belligerent nations. It will also help to prevent the export of war materials to belligerent nations."

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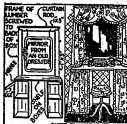
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Manuel Chop Druggs

Lost Wanderer

If any man fancies that there is some easier way of gaining a dollar than by squarely earning it, he has lost the clue to his way through this mortal labyrinth, and must be wandering as chance may dictate.—Morse Greeley.

Rotten Apples

WHERE you go a youngster back East, where they stored them by the barrel and against the long winter evenings. When winter came, they spent most of your Saturdays sorting over the barrels of apples, picking out the rotten ones so they would not make the whole barrel that way!

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ACQUIT YOUNQUIST IN RED LAKE DEATH

Garfield Youngquist, 21 year old youth whose home is at Wahpeton, N. D., was acquitted of a charge of criminal negligence in the death of H. C. Gendel of Leonard, Minn., by a district court jury Friday at Red Lake Falls.

Mr. Gendel, a Great Northern brakeman, was killed last month on the railroad crossing on main street at Red Lake Falls when a car struck him and knocked him from the step of an engine tender, throwing him a distance of fifty feet. Youngquist, arrested the same day at Thief River Falls, he was about to have repairs made on his car, admitted his car struck the engine but denied seeing or hitting the brakeman. The jury which acquitted him after nine hours after hearing four days of testimony.

VILLAGE ELECTION TUESDAY, DEC. 5TH

The annual village election will be held next Tuesday, December 5th. Evidently local people are not seekers of village office since only one filing was made, that of A. Satterberg as a candidate for president of the village council, to succeed himself. Other officers to be elected are one councilman for a three year term; two justices of the peace and one constable. Blank spaces will be provided on the ballots so the voters can express a "lift and miss" choice to fill the offices for which no filings were made.

JONAS HOGQUIST IS DEAD
Jonas Hogquist, aged 85, long time resident of Thief River Falls, died in his home in that city Thursday. Before going to Thief River, Mr. Hogquist was a resident of this community. In early years he operated a tailor shop here which trade he followed until his retirement a few years ago. He is survived by his mother and a number of nieces and nephews. Funeral services were held Tuesday at Thief River.

BOWLERS WIN TOP PLACE
The local bowling team, members of the bowling league at Thief River Falls, won top place in team standings by their performance last week. This showing is worthy of note since there are ten teams in the league.

Dr. Geo. Spofford
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FIRST WHIST GAME HELD
The first session of this winter's whist tournament was held at the Jackson hall last evening with eleven tables in play. The White team took the opening game and were guests of the Orange team at a lunch served at the local cafes after the meeting. Meetings will be held two weeks apart during the winter season.

BLACK RIVER
Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Brink and daughter Ruth, and Mrs. N. E. Rebe motored to Crookston Saturday morning, where they visited for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Brink, Mr. and Mrs. N. Graham and daughter and Mrs. B. E. Burke were dinner guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sweet at Eldred.

Mrs. Christine Hake of St. Hilaire arrived at the G. Lindquist home on Sunday where she will spend the winter months.

Miss Grace Erickson of Grand Forks is spending several weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Erickson.

Supper guests on Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson were Mr. and Mrs. Emil Petersen, Andrew and Deborah and Myrtle, Mrs. Swan Johnson and Harry.

Edward Brandt of Wyndmere, N. Dak., visited briefly on Monday at the E. L. Larson and G. Lindquist home. Mr. Brandt left Monday evening for Oakes to visit at the home of his parents before returning to Wyndmere.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Napkin of Superior arrived here by car on Friday for a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Reagin.

Mrs. G. Lindquist, Vivian and Vernon, Art Johnson and Abelle St. Michael of Red Lake Falls visited Saturday with General Lindquist at his estate at the St. Luke's hospital in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gustafson of Moberly visited on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Swan Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Larson and daughter Beverly of Oakes were Sunday guests at the E. L. Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Person and family of Bray were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Erickson.

Mrs. Ed. Honks and Mr. and Mrs. Frank and daughter Jessie of Hazel were guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson.

Mrs. Joe King, Joyce and Gladys and Mrs. Harry Winter were Saturday visitors at the G. Lindquist home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Vande Streek and family Dorthy Robinson and John Staverger were Sunday evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Merritt in Thief River.

Miss Evelyn Sorek, student at the A. C. at Crookston spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorek.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Larson, Theodore and Jacqueline visited Saturday evening at the E. L. Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brink, Mrs. Clarence Carson and daughter, and Miss Laura Almqvist of Grand Forks were guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jens Almqvist.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Erickson were Thief River Falls callers on Monday.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

One of the things to be especially thankful for is the fine weather prevailing.

Miss Hulda Gistad, teacher in the city schools at Moorhead, is coming to St. Hilaire morning to spend Thanksgiving at home.

There will be service on the mail routes Thanksgiving Day, and the postoffice will remain open nearly all day because employees in federal service have their telegraph the 23rd.

Math Schack has commenced dismantling the house formerly occupied by the Neumann family which is located on a seven acre tract of land recently purchased by Mr. Schack.

Funeral services for the late Charles Bengtson were held Saturday from Crookston for the Larson family. The funeral home at Thief River. Interment took place in Lanstad cemetery in Sanders township.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Larson and son of Hazel, N. D., motored here Sunday and spent the day with the W. Atkinson family, former neighbors when the latter resided at Hazel.

Walter Swanson, John O. Swanson and Arthur Erickson representing the Swedish Lutheran congregations in the local charge, met as a committee in the village last evening to transact matters of business pertaining to the church organization.

When Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Brink motored Sunday to Eldred to visit at the Frank Sweet home, they were accompanied from here by Mrs. B. E. Burke who was met there by her son, E. O. Burke of Moorhead, with whom she will spend part of the coming winter.

Over 150 persons, school children and adults included, received smallpox vaccination at the local school Tuesday. Dr. Anderson of Thief River assisted by Mrs. W. Carlson of this place, did the work.

Vaccination of the school children was done as a precautionary measure since smallpox is reported to prevail in a number of northern Minnesota communities this winter.

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HOG PRICES DECLINE
Hog prices this week continued their downward trend, tops falling to \$6.75 in Chicago market, the lowest in five years. Heavy receipts and continued weakness in the dressed meat market contributed to the decline, which brought best hogs \$3.50 a hundredweight under the peak price of \$9.40 reached in September, and about \$2.00 under the top price of a year ago.

BANGS' TESTING IS STARTED IN COUNTY

A corps of veterinarians operating under direction of the state veterinary division, is now busy throughout this county giving a county area test for detection of Bang's disease in dairy herds. The agglutination test for Bang's disease is not a "cure" or a form of vaccination. It is simply a highly perfected method of discovering animals that have Bang's disease in their bodies. Calling diseased animals discovered in these periodic tests, for which federal-state indemnity payments are made, will eventually remove all reacting animals from the county. Eradication of the disease in this dairy section is of vital importance since the appearance of Bang's disease in a herd not only causes the loss of valuable offspring, but the milk production is lowered about 40 per cent and the entire schedule of good management practices is interfered with.

Return as Wage-Earners
In many cases, patients are being treated to some type of wage work so that they can return to their homes.

Mrs. Arthur Hanson, under a contract Monday at the hospital at Drayton, N. D. She withstood the ordeal well, and is to return home this week.

Miss Alice Skutten has returned to her duties as instructor in the Fargo schools after having spent Thanksgiving vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sever Skutten.

Harry Linn is making some very fine improvements on his residence property which he purchased recently from Knute Jorgensen. An enclosed porch, a new chimney, new windows and considerable interior refinishing is part of the work being done.

A large group of old friends and neighbors gathered Friday at the home of Mrs. Anna Thompson and helped her celebrate her 86th birthday anniversary. Despite her age, Mrs. Thompson is enjoying excellent health, and is able to be about as well as a person twenty years younger.

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NO OPPOSITION IN SCHOOL ELECTION

At the special school election held Saturday to determine whether or not to accept a WPA grant and offer its assistance, and to authorize the school board to expend not to exceed \$5,000 of available funds as sponsor's share of the project to build an addition to the school, a total of 109 votes were cast, all in favor of the proposition.

Because the state department has recommended a couple changes in the new building which also must have approval of WPA, actual breaking of ground for the new building will be delayed from ten days to two weeks. However, area officials of WPA state they expect to have a crew on the grounds ready to start work on or about December 25th. In addition to the new recreational building and playground for complete refurnishing of interior of the school and landscaping of the school grounds, all to be done during 1940.

MRS. OLE LOBERG CALLED
Mrs. Ole Loberg, pioneer resident of this community, who has made her home at Willmar for the past ten or twelve years, died Tuesday of last week, according to word received by relatives here. Mr. Loberg was here attending to business matters the previous Saturday and was called home by critical illness of his wife. Mr. and Mrs. Loberg were among the early settlers in Rocksvale township, residing for many years on their farm two miles north of the village which place they still retained. Mrs. Loberg is survived by her husband and one daughter, Mrs. Walter Clinton, both of Willmar. Funeral services were held in that city last Friday.

Card of Thanks
We wish hereby to extend our heartfelt thanks to all who so kindly assisted during the illness and burial of our beloved husband and father. Especially do we wish to thank Rev. J. O. Jacobson also Mrs. Jacobson and Mrs. Anderson for singing, and all others for the beautiful flowers.

Mrs. Chas. Bengtson and family.

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HOUSEHOLD QUESTIONS

A shiny coat collar can be cleaned by sponging with a cloth moistened with ammonia or vinegar.

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Prunes, to be properly cooked, should be stewed very slowly for at least two successive days. The prunes will come out whole, soft and tender, and with the richest, most delicious juice.

Tarnished table silver may be revived if placed in a quart of boiling water to which a good pinch of washing soda has been added. After boiling for five minutes remove and dry thoroughly with a soft cloth.

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Use this famous quick way today without thought of price!

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. LABINE
Political Activity Starts Early To Capture Publicity Spotlight Before Congress Meets Again

(EDITOR'S NOTE.—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

LABOR:

Stamp Trail

War and neutrality made way in November for politics. For between now and January 3, when reconvening congress grasps public attention, politicians have their only pre-convention chance to tell The Cause of 1936. On the Republican side at least three stumpers were hitting the trail, while national headquarters in Washington planned a skull session December 7 to map campaign strategy. The Democratic party, meanwhile, contented itself waiting for Franklin Roosevelt to say yes or no.

New York's District Attorney Tom Dewey was not so busy prosecuting German-American stumpers. Fritz Wilt covered at the annual "anti-defense" parade.

LABOR:

Liberty

Compared with A. F. of L. the hands of C. I. O. are comparatively clean in the justice department's campaign to remove trade restraints in the building industry. Though both organizations have maintained Trust Buster Thurman Arnold has no right to indict trade unionists under the anti-trust laws. It is chiefly A. F. of L. building groups which are suffering in the present drive. Already indicted, for example, are the International Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America and A. F. of L. vice president.

Thurman Arnold intended to labor's complaint a few days and then started labor with a ruling: Organized labor is not immune from prosecution, and the justice department will prosecute unions attempting to prevent private industry from using any government method designed to bring cheaper and better goods to the buying public.

LABOR:

TAXATION:

Long denouncing has been the anticipated blow-up between spenders which saved him to come when congress meets next January. Reason: In the most fiscal year the national debt will pass the \$40,000,000 mark; congress will see full name and address in large type and swallowed the lot.

First signs of an inter-administration fight were seen when Mr. Roosevelt, federal reserve chairman and spending advocate, told St. Louis bankers that congress should raise the money for the treasury.

Observers thought Hoover would secretly approve the remark, for Henry Morgenthau—though loyal to the President—has fought deficit spending. And the treasury, far from stumbling blindly ahead, is sifting thousands of suggestions solicited during the past summer before offering congress recommendations on a 1940 tax program.

That congress may also be contrary was hinted when Colorado's Sen. Alva Adams told the press he favored establishment of a congressional agency to "police" the appropriations. Adams said the departments, not for fear of giving the taxpayer a chance to argue his side of the story.

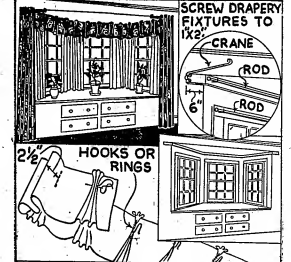
Measures for the coming year which he believed may not pass his customary revised estimate of receipts and expenditures this year. Like the congressional tax law which is holding his recommendations. And in substance, the budget bureau is required by statutory conditions.

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HOW TO SEW

by Ruth Wyeth Spears



New dining room curtains.

With the holidays almost at hand everyone seems to be giving curtains a thought. An enthusiastic reader of Sewing Book No. 3 writes, "I have a boy window in my dining room that has always been a problem to curtain. Right now I would like to make pinch pleated drapes of figured damask to hang from cranes to the floor. I would like to use a valance." With this letter all the window dimensions were given.

The sketch at the lower right reveals the difficulty. The space between the top of the valance and the top of the bay made it impossible to hang the draperies as desired. A 1/2 inch strip of wood nailed next to the ceiling of the bay and extending 4 inches over the bay, solved the problem.

Strange Facts

Buddha Stutes Lord

Printer's Passion

Ballet's Nation Lead

Throughout the world, statues of Buddha far outnumber those of Christ. In China and Japan, particularly, millions of them, varying greatly in size and shape, fill temples, courtyards, caverns and public and private gardens. Buddha is not unusual in the walls of a remote and abandoned cave.

Found unconscious in the street, a young Hungarian printer stated that, jilted by his girl, he had set her full name and address in large type and swallowed the lot.

The penetrating power of a bullet sometimes depends more on its type and target than on its velocity. During tests in which pointed bullets were fired into moist sand, the penetration was 10 inches at 50 feet, 14 inches at 300 feet and 16 inches at 1,500 feet, Collier's.

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RITES TODAY FOR

J. ALB. ANDERSON

Another of the pioneer settlers of this community passed away Tuesday morning when J. Albert Anderson died at his home in Sanders township after an illness of about five years. Able to be about most of the time, it was only recently that his illness took a serious turn.

Born in Skaraborgslän, Västergötland, Sweden on June 24, 1864, he was 75 years and 5 months of age. His youth was spent in Sweden, and he came to this country at the age of 21 to be employed a few years at Crookston and vicinity before taking over a homestead previously filed upon by his brother, the present farm in Sanders.

In 1898 he was united in marriage at Crookston to Annie Seeland and since then they have made their home on the farm.

Undaunted by hardships and privations of pioneer days, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson laboriously to develop the present well cultivated farm, and to provide necessities for a family of 13 children, and well they succeeded.

Surviving Mr. Anderson are his faithful helpmate, four sons and eight daughters. The children are Carl, Melvin, Mrs. Glenn Lindquist, Clarence, Pearl, Agnes and Harold, all home or in the home community; Mrs. Julius Peterson, Mrs. Robert Stumpf and Edna, all in the Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs. John Gullander of Thief River Falls, and Mrs. Walter Larson of Holt. Another son, Oscar, died about six years ago. He also is survived by twenty grandchildren and one brother, Alf Dahlstrom of Sanders.

Following a brief service at the home at 1 o'clock today, funeral services were held at 2 o'clock at the Black River Swedish Lutheran church with

ANNUAL GUBBEFEST

The annual Gubbefest of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be held Saturday evening of this week at the church basement beginning at 6:30 P. M. Lettels and all the trimmings will be served with roast pork on the side. The price is 25 cents for everyone, large or small, so be sure to come.

VILLAGE ELECTION HELD

Because of the fact that only one candidate for village offices filed and only one name appeared on the ballot, voters of the village used the "hit and miss" method of voting at the village election Tuesday. O. Gustaf, who was not a candidate, received the highest vote for president of the council; Clifford Schanzen, also not on the ballot, was re-elected councilman, and a dozen or more citizens each received some votes for justice of the peace and constable. The village clerk, treasurer and assessor held over until 1940 since they were elected last year for two year terms.

Gust Naplin is recovering from severe bruises sustained when his car overturned in a ditch west of here about a week ago.

All the non-resident teachers returned Sunday after having spent Thanksgiving at their respective homes, and school re-opened Monday.

Dr. D. Horn made his regular monthly trip from Ulen on Monday. He does not plan to come again until after the holidays, probably not until March.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Dyrud and son, accompanied by Mrs. Dyrud's mother of Newforn, were Thanksgiving day guests here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Holmes.

Rev. H. A. Larson officiating, interment took place in the cemetery adjoining the church.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

After this week there will remain only twelve shopping days before Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Anderson are the happy parents of a son born Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Satterberg moved last week to McIntosh for a brief visit with relatives.

A new stove has been installed in the school bus garage in preparation for expected cold weather later on.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Young and family and Robert Huff of Crookston were guests Thanksgiving day at the Robert Collins home here.

Gunnar Lindquist, patient at a Thief River hospital suffering from an infected hand, is considerably improved and hopes to be home soon.

Wheat prices have shown a steady climb lately due, no doubt to European conditions. Wheat reached \$1.00 a bushel in Chicago this week, its highest point in years.

W. Aitchison went Sunday morning to Winnipeg to meet his wife and son who had visited a few days with relatives at Eldon, west of Winnipeg, and all returned home Sunday night.

Dr. Geo. Spofford, the Long Prairie optometrist, made a professional call here yesterday. Dr. Spofford has travelled through this section of the state for well over thirty years, and expects to resume making regular calls here in the future.

Next meeting of the whist tournament will be Tuesday evening, December 12.

Clarence Hesse has improved the appearance of his residence by a well made inclosed front porch.

The shortest day of the year—that is in point of hours of daylight—is about two weeks from today.

Mrs. L. H. Olson left yesterday to spend a few days at the home of her sister, Mrs. Boltman, at Grand Forks.

Co. Commissioner Paul Roy visited Tuesday to the county seat to preside at regular monthly meeting of the county board.

A son was born Sunday to Mrs. Christine Elgaard at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Stephens in the village.

Miss Hulda Gistad of Moorhead, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Emma Narveon of Crookston, were Thanksgiving day guests here at the home of Mrs. Hilda Gistad.

Mrs. A. S. Wilson returned here last week after a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Karl Pedersen at International Falls and at the home of her son, George, at Aurora, Minn.

Several loads of straw were spread this week on the site of the proposed new school gymnasium to prevent the ground from freezing. Present indications are that excavation work will be started just before Christmas or immediately thereafter.

COMMUNITY CALENDARS

The new 1940 community calendars, distributed each year by members of the St. M. Club and others engaged in business in the village, came this week. These may be obtained by calling on the Spectator office. It is especially requested that no children be sent for them as the sponsors to distribute calendars only to adults.

Raymond Hallenbeck

St. Joseph's church in this city was the scene of a pretty marriage ceremony Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock when Miss Grand Foris following which they established their home on his ancestral farm at Lehigh, two miles northwest of here. In 1912 they moved to the village and resided here continuously until death of Mr. Loberg last April. Mr. and Mrs. Loberg observed their golden wedding anniversary in the village in 1938.

The bridegroom's attendant was his brother-in-law, Clarence Engen of Newforn.

This bride has lived in the county during her entire life, and for a number of years has been one of the successful teachers of the county schools. Mr. Hallenbeck is one of the well-known farmers of the St. Hilaire community, where they will make their home.

A wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Raymond in Louisville township and the newlyweds left for a honeymoon trip in extending congratulations and best wishes.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Numerous friends in this community join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Hallenbeck lifelong happiness.

We carry a good assortment of bulk candy, nuts, candied peels, dates, figs, currants, cranberries, Christmas paper, card, cards, tags, seeds and tree trimmings. M. H. Jackson.

Alfred Dahlstrom, Hattie and Alvin Dahlstrom, returned Monday after spending Thanksgiving with Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Dahlstrom at Worthington.

George Wilson and son William Robert, motored here from Aurora and spent Thanksgiving and the week-end at the William Olson home. Upon returning home Sunday, they were accompanied by Mrs. Wilson who had spent a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Olson. Mr. Wilson's mother accompanied him on the trip from Aurora to here.

MRS. LARS A. LOBERG CALLED BY DEATH

Mrs. Lars A. Loberg, age 80, a resident of this village and a community for fifty-seven years, died Wednesday morning of last week, after a short illness, at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Eld at Gary.

Mrs. Loberg, nee Mary Lund was born July 24, 1859 in Norway where she spent her early years, coming to this country in 1880. On November 26, 1882 she was united in marriage to Lars A. Loberg at Grand Foris following which they established their home on his ancestral farm at Lehigh, two miles northwest of here. In 1912 they moved to the village and resided here continuously until death of Mr. Loberg last April. Mr. and Mrs. Loberg observed their golden wedding anniversary in the village in 1938.

Mrs. Loberg is survived by four sons and three daughters, Mrs. John Loberg in Rockbury, Elmer and John at Hayden Lake, Idaho; Martin at Lehigh, Minn.; and Mrs. Swanson of this place; Mrs. Arthur Eld at Gary, and Mrs. Ed Shastek at Aberdeen, S. D. She also is survived by eight grandchildren, and by two sons-in-law, one in Norway, a daughter, Ragna, preceded her parents in death some years ago.

Good Christian woman, a fine neighbor and friend as well as a loving mother, Mrs. Loberg will be missed by her family and friends.

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon at the Norwegian Lutheran church at which the deceased had been a lifelong member, with Rev. M. L. Dahle officiating. He paid kindly tribute to the memory of Mrs. Loberg who was highly esteemed by all who knew her.

Among the out-of-town relatives here for the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. S. D. and Mrs. Abner, S. D. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Eld at Gary; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson at Fargo; Ole Loberg of William; Mrs. Foster Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Elmer, and Mrs. Elmer Elmer, all of Grygville, Minn.; Mrs. Loberg of Twin Valley.

Interment took place in the family plot in the Lutheran cemetery north of the village.

Regular meeting of the B. M. Club was held Monday night in the club room. Matter of arranging for the usual holiday decorations was made at this meeting.

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"SUCH A FINE" SODA CRACKERS 2 lb. box	14c
AMAZO SYRUP.....	10 lb. pail 47c
HONEY.....	5 lb. pail 39c
LAGRAND YELLOW CORN.....	4 cans 28c
CALUMET BAKING POWDER.....	1 lb. 18c
SODA.....	2 one lb. boxes 9c
CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP, large bars.....	10 for 32c
CRYSTAL WHITE Scouring Powder.....	3 cans 10c
TOILET SOAP.....	5 bars for 14c
ATLAS BLEACH, Quart bottle.....	12c
COCOA.....	2 lb. box 15c
CATSUP, 14-oz. bottles.....	2 for 18c

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Rumblings About Federal Spending Come From Two Schools of Thought

WNU Service, National Press Bldg., Washington, D. C.

Tighter Hand on Government Spending to Be Laid Down

There can be no doubt that relief spending is about to be large again in the next year. It cannot be denied. Business is not doing any better. It is not employing more people or is tending it another way; unemployment is still there, as ever, and people must be fed.

Mr. Roosevelt has indicated that while spending for relief cannot be stopped, there are other phases of government activity that can be cut.

He has indicated that the group has turned again to a variety of pump priming and "spending" our way out of the depression.

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Follow the Rules When Addressing

Christmas Card

How do you address a Christmas card to a widow? A divorcee? A business acquaintance? Here are some tips on cards:

Generally speaking, greetings come in two classes, formal and informal. If you use printed or engraved cards for formal use, the title Mr., Mrs., or Mr. and Mrs. should probably appear above the greeting. For instance: "Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stanyon wish you a Merry Christmas," rather than "A Merry Christmas from Mr. and Mrs. The Stanyon."

On informal cards, signed in the husband's or wife's name show the name first, although ordinarily the person signing would put his or her name last. In general, the husband's name comes first. These are signed "Bob and Betty," or "Bob and Betty Bentley," depending on how well the acquaintance knows you.

No card should ever be sent without a Mr., Mrs. or Miss prefix. An unmarried woman is always addressed as "Miss." A married woman, whether her husband is alive or not, is addressed as "Mrs." prefixed to her husband's name. Since a woman's maiden name is used only on legal papers or when she uses it professionally, a divorcee's maiden name is used if it's been established.

Cards to a married couple should be addressed Mr. and Mrs., even though you may know only one name. If it's a business acquaintance and you haven't met the recipient's wife, it's permissible to use the card in his name or business addresses are quite acceptable, though there's a bit more courtesy and more personal touch involved in finding out the home address and the card there.

Kiss the Maiden

Kiss the Maiden
Under Mistletoe—
But Follow Rules

Q T'S still a nice custom to kiss the young lady under the mistletoe, but your efforts are in vain unless it's done properly. Every time someone kisses un-

Every time someone kisses the mistletoe a berry should be plucked from the branch, for on many blessings are bestowed upon the berries. And don't let the mistletoe fall to the ground. Otherwise its properties of good luck and healing will be destroyed.

Many a romantic story surrounds this plant. The berries represent years from this legend: A Scandinavian god, Baldur, learned he would die. When told his mother, the goddess Frigg, she made earth, fire, air, water and animals and plants promise they wouldn't harm her son.

But she overlooked the mistletoe, for its roots were neither in earth nor air. So one of Balder's enemies fashioned an arrow from the plant and that was the end of Balder. The tears of the heathen goddess fell thick and fast, and froze into the berries.

Having such a heathen origin,

mistletoe is seldom included in church schemes of decoration. In spite of this ban few maids care to risk making the legend come true. "She who is not kissed under the mistletoe at Christmas will be married in the year which follows."

If you want to be lucky, remember



Said the rejected suitor: "No, loan, don't give me back my ring. That's five dollars to a man with a broken heart?"

Turn 'Em
 "Don't you want to be the sort of girl that men will look up to?"
 "No—I want to be the kind of girl that men will look round at."

A CASE IN POINT

"Can inanimate objects think?"
"Well, I've hugged a girl and
found that cigars in my pocket
were much broken up over it."

A Good Point
'Look here, the very first time
buttoned up this coat the seams
burst down the back!'
'That just shows you, sir, how

An English peer who had been invited, had the lady's 3,000 love letters pinched and made into a walking stick. Clever, eh? But give a girl just two or three letters, jilt her, and, presto, she makes a suit out of 'em.

Step Aside!
 "My son wishes to become a chauffeur. What do you advise?"
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Enthusiasm Enthusiasm is grave, inward, self-controlled; mere excitement outward.—Sterling.	

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If more people were aware of how the kidneys must constantly remove waste that cannot stay in the blood without injury to health, there would be better understanding of why the whole body suffers when kidneys lag, and diuretic medication would be more often employed.

Use **Doan's Pills**. It is better to rely on a medicine that has won world-wide acclaim; than on something less favorably known. Ask your neighbor!

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SAVINGS MADE BY MODERATE WEATHER

The open winter which has prevailed in all sections of the state up to this time, and which bids fair to continue probably until after the holidays, has resulted in saving of a big sum by the state which in average years would have

spent over a million dollars up to this time for snow removal from the highways. At the same time considerable savings have been made by the different county units for the same reason. Another saving which is of much importance to the average household, is that in

Stockraisers and dairymen are elated because of continued mild weather which permits them to feed stock outside during part of the day thus effecting a saving in both feed and hay.

BOWLERS MAINTAIN LEAD

The Rdwood Inn bowling team of this village maintained its place at top of the ten team Thief River Falls league at the regular weekly meeting held Tuesday night at Thief River Falls. Rolf Wollan was high-point man for the local bowlers.

Supt. Cash Cartier of the Northern States Power Company office at Red Lake Falls, was here Tuesday to read meters, make some new installations, and to see about cutting out some tree branches along routes of the lines.

Language of Lithuanians
The language of the Lithuanians is believed to approach more closely to ancient Sanskrit than any other living tongue.

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RURAL ELECTRIC PLANT PLANNED

The engineering department of the Rural Electrification Administration has announced plans for a generating plant to cost \$225,000.00 to be built during 1940 at Grand Forks to furnish current for rural lines in Minnesota and North Dakota.

The plant, designed to furnish energy for 1,000 miles of rural lines, will serve portions in seven North Dakota counties and to the Red Lake-Pennington project in this state.

In addition to the lines mentioned, the plant is planned to serve the Red River Valley Electric Co-operative in vicinity of Halstad in evened municipal plant at that place is unable to handle the load after those lines are fully completed.

Decision of REA to establish the Grand Forks plant came after prolonged negotiations failed to produce a satisfactory source of power supply.

Construction work on the rural lines in this and Red Lake county, held up for lack of electric power supply, is expected to get under way early next spring.

ACCEPT SAN ADDITION
At a meeting of the Oakland Park Sanatorium commission held Monday afternoon, formal acceptance was made of new addition built during 1939. Handicapped for lack of room the past two years, the new addition will give the Sanatorium twelve additional rooms, besides much needed office space.

B. M. CLUB ELECTION
At a meeting of the B. M. Club last Monday evening Arthur Hanson was elected president, Elmer Gustafson, vice president; A. B. Jensen, secretary and Norman Berg, treasurer, for the coming term. Lunch was served following the business session.

BLACK RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson of Thief River Falls were Monday visitors at the Claus Adolphson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Melcher Erickson and family, Emil Erickson, and August Scholl returned home on Tuesday after spending some time on the West Coast with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Swanson and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Westby and Miss Myrtle Peterson were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Persson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rotter left Monday for Los Angeles, California.

Mrs. F. W. Sweet and daughter, Mrs. Ed. Vass of Wednesday after spending a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sweet.

Mrs. Oscar Lindquist and daughter, Ruth, and Gerald Lindquist of Crookston visited on Thursday evening with the family's brother, Gustafson, who is a patient at the St. Luke's hospital in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Vass of Maddock, N. D., visited with friends here over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Hansen and daughters visited on Sunday at the home of Mrs. Hanson's father, Claus Adolphson.

Mrs. C. T. Hallstrom and daughter, Janice, Raymond Anderson of Thief River Falls, and Gladys Neuhem were Wednesday evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Johnson and son, motorist Sunday to Crookston where they spent the day with their son, Irwin, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis.

TO CREAMERY PATRONS:
During Christmas and New Year weeks, cream will be taken at the creamery on Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Mrs. L. F. Olson returned Friday after having spent a week with relatives at Grand Forks.

A wedding dance for Mr. and Mrs. Gustafson of Thief River Falls was given last evening at the De Drop Inn here.

Many former residents of the village, now employed elsewhere, are expected home for the Christmas holidays.

A. Bidden plans to leave Saturday evening to spend Christmas at the home of his son, Howard, at Crookston.

A light flurry of snow fell last evening. There was just enough to make the ground white, less than a quarter inch.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Peterson were down Saturday from Warren for a visit with Mrs. Peterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olson.

The river at this point has finally frozen over, and the ice is of sufficient thickness so outside residents can take the shortcut to town.

Two nicely decorated and illuminated Christmas trees were placed this week at front of the skating rink site to remain until after the holidays.

Don't miss seeing the Christmas opera at the school assembly this evening. Eighty-two grade students are taking part in presentation of the play.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson son returned today to their home at Minneapolis after visiting since Monday at the home of Mr. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wilson.

Several cars were ditched near here Monday following the light rain which coated the roads with ice. One car that turned over in the bend south of the county line had its top badly crushed.

Math Schack has brought in a sample of fully matured corn raised on his place in the village. The corn is perfectly matured, and compares favorably with any raised in the southern part of the state.

While the supply on hand lasts, a neat outdoor thermometer that can be read from inside the house on cold days, will be given free with each new subscription, or renewal to the Spectator.

Today is the shortest day of the year in point of hours of daylight. The sun has now reached its farthest southern point, and begins its journey north. No apparent change in length of days will be noted until after New Year.

More than four inches of snow blanketed the area around the Twin Cities on Tuesday.

The mercury dropped to zero early this morning, the coldest recorded here thus far this winter.

There is still a good supply of community calendars available at the Spectator office. Call and get your copy.

The postoffice force is taking on a faster stride this week in handling the heavy outgoing and incoming Christmas mail.

Douglas Larson, student at Gustavus Adolphus College, is here to spend the holidays with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Larson.

Cliff Schanzman has added a wreath to his garage equipment for convenience and help to those motorists who may "take the ditch."

The annual Christmas party of the Women's Club was held Thursday night at the Jackson hall which was nicely decorated for the occasion.

Chas. O. Swanson, president of the creamery board, is a patient at a Thief River Falls hospital being treated for an infection which set in after an accident.

Following a rain which fell for a few hours last Friday, a brightly colored rainbow was noted in the north, a phenomenon seldom seen at this time of the year.

The local school closes Friday for the annual Christmas vacation of two weeks. All non-resident teachers expect to leave the same day to spend the holidays at their respective homes.

The contest for office of mayor at Thief River Falls which developed following the recent city election, was settled last week by agreement of the parties concerned. Wm. Pritchard, mayor of the city for several years, retains his office.

Dec. 21-22-Jan. 4 ANNUAL MEETING
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the May Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Pennington and Red Lake Counties, will be held in St. Hilaire, Minnesota, on Wednesday the 10th day of January, 1940, beginning at one o'clock P. M.

Such meeting is called for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year, and to transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting.
JOHN C. SWANSON, Secretary.

WIN FROM GOODRIDGE

The high school basketball team, accompanied by teachers and a loyal bunch of rooters, went to Goodridge last Friday night and defeated the school team there by the close score of 17 to 16. The game was full of thrills from start to finish.

SCHOOL WORK TO START

While still awaiting final approval of WPA which is expected in a few days, breaking ground for the new school addition will get under way immediately after the holidays. It is stated from unofficial source that from twenty-five to thirty-five men will be employed steadily on the local project.

It was first thought work could be started December 26th, but it likely will be delayed until after New Year.

BRAY

A group of relatives gathered at the Walter Olson home on St. Hilaire Sunday afternoon to help Halvor Hanson celebrate his 75th birthday. A large birthday cake centered the table and he was presented with a gift from the relatives.

The guests were as follows: Honor guest, Halvor Hanson; Mr. Arthur Anderson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hanson; Elmer Hanson and family; Mrs. Kelly and son, Mrs. Gordon Weflin and Wayne of Thief River Falls; Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Olson and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Hanson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Olson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Olson and family of Thief River Falls were Sunday guests at the N. P. Schatz home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Davis and Albin Anderson of Crookston were Sunday visitors at the August Scholl home.

Laura Anderson who has been employed at Grove City, returned home Sunday.

Annie Lindholm who was a patient at a hospital at Thief River Falls for several days returned home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thelen and sons Larry and Jimmy of Thief River Falls visited at the Eldon Erickson home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ruben Rux and Harold and Johnnie Lindholm moved to Fargo Thursday where they attended the funeral services of Mrs. Rux's father, Lawrence Swapp who passed away Monday at his son's home at Fargo.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mosbeck visited at the C. E. Naplin home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Halvor Erickson spent Thursday evening visiting at the S. N. Olson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mosbeck and Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Larson and family were Sunday visitors at the Carl Mosbeck home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Johnson and family of Warren, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Swanson and family were Sunday visitors at the George Swanson home.

WHEAT GROWERS MAY SECURE LOANS

Wheat growers who wish to apply for a loan of from 59 cents to 74 cents per bushel have only until December 31, 1939 to complete their applications with the Pennington county A.A.A. committee, announced Carl R. Anderson, committee chairman.

Government loans on wheat mature April 30, 1940, bear an interest rate of 3%, and may be taken out by any grower who had planted wheat or wheat salvage allotment of the 1939 agricultural conservation program, says Anderson. The exact amount that will be loaned per bushel depends upon the grade and protein content of the wheat, as well as the freight rate to the terminal market.

He also announced that a St. Hilaire Sunday afternoon spring wheat insurance is now being started. The final date for applications will be March 1, 1940.

Community committees in townships, the committees are contacting any farmer in Pennington county for an allotment of five acres or more. Any farmer who has an allotment of less than five acres may secure insurance on his wheat by contacting the county committee.

Growers can insure their 1940 spring wheat crop for either 50 or 75 per cent of their average yield as determined for the base period 1926-38, says Anderson. The insurance is "all risk" and protects against all unusual natural hazards that might reduce or destroy yield. Premiums for Pennington county are approximately .50 bushels per acre for 50 per cent coverage and .75 bushels per acre for 75 per cent coverage. These premiums may be most (1) in kind with a warehouse receipt for wheat representing the amount of the premium, with check or cash equivalent to the amount of wheat specified in the application, or (2) with an advance against payments that may be earned under the A.A.A. program. The amount of the premium is computed at the time the application is filed out.

Larson-Neuman
Hans H. Newman and Miss Ellen A. Larson, well known young Sanders people, were united in marriage Saturday, December 16th, at the local Norwegian Lutheran parsonage with Rev. M. L. Dahle officiating. They were attended by Miss Evelyn Bengtson and Fredrick Larson, also of Sanders.

Friends in the community join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Newman unbounded happiness.

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AT THE
Churches

Mission Covenant Church
Rev. N. Wiberg, Pastor
110 S. St. Paul Ave.
Thief River Falls

Saturday, Dec. 23rd, 10:30
A. M.—Confirmation class.

1 P. M., decorating for
Christmas. Come and help!

Sunday, Dec. 24th, Christmas
service 10 A. M. "What Does
Christmas Mean to You?" Bible

School at 11 A. M. This will
be the last Sunday forenoon

service and the last Bible
School session until spring! We

would like to see you all with
us.

Monday, Dec. 25th, Christ-
mas Day, 8 P. M., Christmas

program. Seats reserved for
those in the program. We can't

promise any seats to anyone
else. Those in the program are

asked to be at the church not
later than 7:30.

Augustana Lutheran Churches
R. A. Larson, Pastor

Black River Sunday, Dec. 24,
10 A. M. Sunday school service.

Christmas Day 6:00 a. m. Candle
light service.

Tuesday, Dec. 26, 8:00 p. m.
Sunday school program.

Thursday, Dec. 28, 8:00 p. m.
Board of Administration meeting.

Sunday, Dec. 31, 6:30 a. m., New
Year's Wake and New Year's

service.

Tuesday, Jan. 2, 10 a. m. Annual
Meeting.

Thurs. St. Hilaire, Saturday
Dec. 28, 8:00 p. m. Sunday school

program.

Sunday, Dec. 24, 10:00 a. m. Christmas
service.

Sunday school, 11 a. m. Christmas
service.

Sunday, Dec. 31, 10 a. m. Annual
meeting.

Wednesday, Jan. 3, 10 a. m. Annual
meeting.

Thurs. St. Hilaire, Sunday, Dec. 24,
10 a. m. Sunday school.

Christmas Day 11 a. m. Service.

Wednesday, Dec. 27, 8:00 p. m.
Sunday school program.

Sunday, Dec. 31, 10:00 a. m. Christmas
service.

Sunday school, 11 a. m. Christmas
service.

Thursday, Jan. 4, 10:00 a. m. Annual
meeting.

St. Hilaire N. L. Churches
N. L. Dahl, Pastor

Christmas season, St. Hilaire:
Christmas day service 11 a. m.

Children's program 8 p. m.

Flourish service 9 p. m.
St. Paul, service Sunday 11 a. m.

American.
Children's program 2nd day of

Christmas.

Aid at Ahlberg's Dec. 28.
Clearwater Sunday 9 a. m.

Oak Ridge, 2nd day, service 11
a. m. Children's program follow-
ing.

No Tunes Heavy Deen
Some scientists say that there is
no such thing as a time bomb, but
that all are wild, whether they live
in a material live or in a hollow
tree. They say the reason experi-
ments are able to handle them so
easily is because they have under-
stood the nature of the bomb and
not because the bomb become tame.

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FLORAL ORDERS GIVEN PROMPT ATTENTION

25 Years Ago

From Spectator Files of 1914
John Wahlback, age 81, well
known farmer, southwest Minn.,
here, died at his home after a
short illness, of pneumonia.

K. G. Gistad bought the
stock in the closed Holmes
store and re-opened the place
under the name of the Spectator.

N. A. Nelson moved his bar-
nacle shop building across the
street next to his machinery
office.

Mrs. A. F. Hall went to
Clearwater, Minn., to spend
Christmas with her parents.

J. Andy Dahl came down
from his claim near Shaunavon,
Sask., for an extended visit
with his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. J. C. Dahl.

Josephine Braun was as-
sisting at the drug store, and
Myrtle Blain at the postoffice
during the holiday rush.

BRAY
Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Erickson
and family visited at the O. K.

Severe home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Erickson
of Thief River Falls spent

Sunday afternoon visiting at the
Emil Larson home.

Alice Frost and Clifford Ol-
son visited at the Mrs. Chas.

Bengston home Monday even-
ing.

Mrs. Magnus Hanson of Rou-
seau spent several days visiting

at the James Barnett home.

Eldon Erickson, Arnold John-
son and Donald Severe visited

at Grand Forks Saturday eve-
ning.

Mrs. R. G. Sager of Thief
River Falls, Mrs. James Barnett

and family and Mrs. Magnus
Hanson visited at the Emil

Larson home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. C. A. Lindquist, Edith
and Clifford visited at the Al-
fred Lindquist home Sunday

afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Swanson
were callers at the Anton Peter-
son, J. R. Larson and Ted John-
son homes at Hazel Monday af-
ternoon.

Lester Christie and Harry
Larson spent Sunday afternoon
visiting at the James Barnett

home.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Scholz
and family were business call-
ers at Thief River Falls Satur-
day.

Alice Frost was employed at
the Rubber Bar home Thurs-
day and Friday.

Alice and Max Lindquist who
are employed at Thief River
Falls spent the week-end visit-
ing with their parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Alfred Lindquist.

Lowell Hawkins, Clarence
Donald, Glen and Grace Seve-
re visited at the Herman Witt
home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Erickson
and family and Arnold Johnson
spent Thursday evening visit-
ing at the Annie Lindholm
home.

The following helped Lowell
Hawkins celebrate his birth-
day at his home Thursday
evening. Mr. and Mrs. N. P.
Scholz and family, Clarence,
Donald, Glen and Grace Seve-
re. J. O. Swanson called at the
Alfred Severe's home Tuesday
forenoon.

Floyd Simmons of Grand
Forks called at the Eldon
Erickson home Thursday.

Priceless Antiques in Norway
Littlesmitten, Norway, is a
great old museum containing many
valuable Norse antiques.

HAZEL

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Borgie
and son, Eugene helped James
Gilbertson celebrate his 85th
birthday anniversary on Wed-
nesday evening, Mr. and Mrs.

O. Osgaard also helped James
Gilbertson celebrate his birth-
day on Wednesday afternoon.

Mary Jane and Roderick
Johnson, who attend Gustavus
Adolphus College at St. Peter,
Minn., were Sunday visitors at

St. Hilaire visiting Sunday at
Frank Peterson's.

Anton Peterson left Friday
for Chicago where he will
spend the holidays with his son
and daughter-in-law, Mr. and
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WOMAN IS KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Mrs. Henry Carpenter, wife of a Bray township farmer, and mother of two children, ages 6 and 6 years, was killed early Friday morning in an auto accident which occurred on the ridge road north of the Mosbeck farm, west of here a short distance from her own home. She had driven to a neighbor to engage him to do chores while she and husband were to be away for the day, and was returning home when the accident occurred. The neighbor taking the same road about fifteen minutes later, found Mrs. Carpenter crushed to death beneath her car, a small coupe, in the roadside ditch. Those who visited the scene state there was no sharp turn in the road at that point, no loose gravel, nor any ice may have caused the accident. The car, when found, was headed in the opposite direction from that taken. It is stated Mrs. Carpenter was subject to heart attacks at times, and it is entirely possible she may have suffered such an attack, causing her to lose control of the car. Mrs. Carpenter's maiden name was Harriet Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wood, former residents of Bray. Funeral services for the deceased were held Tuesday morning at Dorothy.

SNOW FARTHER SOUTH
Snow blanketed states farther south this week. The snow belt extends from the Rocky Mountain region east thru Nebraska, Iowa, Indiana and east to the coast. Northwest states missed getting any snow, but temperatures have lowered to some extent. In this section there is no snow, and the mercury has not been down to zero so far this winter.

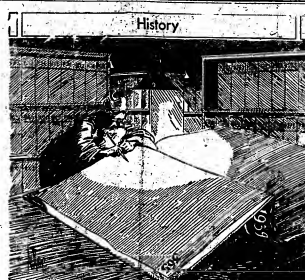
M'KERCHER NAMED FARM BUREAU HEAD

R. J. McKercher, prominent local stockman and dairy farmer, was elected to succeed Hans Solberg as president of the Pennington county farm bureau at annual meeting of the organization held last week at Thief River. Other officers named were Lloyd Johnson, vice president; and S. E. Hunt, secretary-treasurer. About seventy-five people were present at the meeting held in the city auditorium at Thief River Falls.

CARL SIMONSON DIES
Word was received here this week of the death of Carl Simonson, former resident of the village, which occurred at St. J. Veterans hospital at Walla Walla, Wash. He had been a patient at the hospital since April and death was not unexpected by his relatives.

Mr. Simonson, a brother of Mrs. M. S. Gjerd of Pelican Rapids, also a former resident of St. Hilaire, spent some winters with his parents when they resided here some over twenty years ago and will be recalled by those who resided here at that time.

Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. M. L. Dahl at the local Norwegian Lutheran church, Friday afternoon at 2:30, and interment will be made in the Lutheran cemetery north of the village where Mr. Simonson's parents are buried.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Lars Vik returned yesterday after spending Christmas with friends at Eklund, N. Dak.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweet and daughter Edith, spent Christmas here at the V. G. Brink home.

Miss Helga Vik, teacher at Eklund, came Saturday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arne Vik.

Miss Grace Dahl, instructor in the high school at Marshall, Minn., came Friday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Dahl.

Well arranged Christmas Programs were given Monday night in both the Mission and Norwegian Lutheran churches. Both programs were very well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Carlson and daughter, Eileen, are coming Saturday from Minneapolis to spend a few days with Mrs. Carlson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arne Vik.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Black and daughter, Barbara, of Thief River Falls, spent Christmas here at the home of Mrs. Black's mother, Mrs. Hilda Gestad.

Light and power bills, payable on or before the 28th, may be paid up to 5:00 P. M. Friday this week. Please note the time as the account must be made up and leave, without fail, in the evening mail.

Miss Pearl Simonson, who teaches at Deer River, and Miss Laura Simonson who is employed at Minneapolis, came Friday and Saturday, respectively, to spend Christmas vacation with their father, Peter Simonson.

For newspapers that publish Thursday, there will be 83 issues in 1940, and five publications in February, the shortest month of the year. This occurrence happens once in each 28 years, the last being in 1912, and next to be in 1938.

An audience that filled the school assembly to overflowing, witnessed presentation of the Christmas operetta "The Crosspatch Fairies" last Thursday evening. Eighty-two pupils from the first six grades, made up the cast. The youngsters did remarkably well, and the play was thoroughly enjoyed by all who saw it.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blain and two sons of Burbank, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bolman of Grand Forks, were visitors here Tuesday and Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Swanson. Mr. and Mrs. Blain and their two sons, with relatives at Grand Forks and here until after New Year before returning to their homes.

Robert and Hazel Huff of Crookston spent Christmas here at the home of their sister, Mrs. Robert Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Holmes of Red Lake Falls, spent Christmas here at the home of his mother, Mrs. O. A. Holmes.

Ruth Brink and Doris Haglund, students at Concordia College, Moorhead, are here to spend the holidays at their respective homes.

Henry Danson and family of Marver, N. D., spent Christmas here together with other relatives, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Dahlstrom.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Graham and daughter, Mary, left Saturday to spend the holidays at the home of Mrs. Graham's parents at Bertha, Minn.

Miss Dorothy Gunstad, who teaches at Bagley, is spending her holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gunstad, east of the village.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Althoffson and son, Delmer, motored Sunday to Winnipeg and spent the day with Mr. Althoffson's relatives, returning home that night.

Pri. Robert Rosendahl, until recently acting as clerk with the Army recruiting office at Grand Forks, has been transferred to the Air Corps division at Omaha, Neb.

A group of local people enjoyed a get-together party at the Jackson hall Tuesday night. Cards and bingo were the diversions following which light refreshments were served.

Gunnard Lindquist, who had been a patient at a Thief River hospital for several weeks suffering from an infected hand resulting from a woodwork accident, was able to return home this week.

The boys are building a neat ski slide on the river bank near the north bridge. The ice at that point and farther down river is exceptionally fine for skating, and the youngsters are taking advantage of it.

Miss Ellen Janda, who has taken a study course at the University of Minnesota before enrolling as a student nurse, came Thursday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Janda.

Friends here have received announcements of the coming marriage of Dr. M. E. Dahl of Glenwood to Miss Myrtle Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nelson of Wilmar. The ceremony will take place Saturday, December 29 at Wilmar.

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SEAL SALES INCREASE

Sale of Christmas Seals by the school children this year shows an increase over that of the previous year, consequently the school will receive greater benefit, and the children will know they have done their part in the state-wide battle for eradication of tuberculosis, that insidious disease that claims the lives of so many young people every year. Miss Miller's room, the fifth and sixth grades, made the best record by selling 30 per cent of all seals sold in the village.

TO DISCUSS FARM PROGRAM JANUARY 4

An Agricultural Outlook meeting has been arranged for Thursday, January 4, when C. Dvoroski, Agricultural Marketing Specialist from University of Minnesota, will discuss probable supplies, demands, and prices of farm products. He also announces Howard E. Grew, Consumer Demand, Effect of the European War, and Industrial Activity, will be covered by Mr. Dvoroski, along with probable supply and demand for poultry, dairy, sheep, beef, and hogs.

This is a meeting that many people will be interested in, and everyone is invited to attend. The meeting is held for the purpose of bringing some of this information closer to the producers.

**CONSERVATION PAY
CHECKS RECEIVED**

The County Agricultural Conservation Association received about five hundred checks this week in the amount of \$54,499.59 for farmers that cooperated in the 1939 program. The checks received are for individuals that have only one farm in the townships from Kratka to Wyandotte in alphabetical order. The other individual checks will be due in a few days, along with the checks for multiple farms.

Cards have been sent to everyone whose check is in the county office. No one will be able to receive his check without presenting his notification card. Checks will be available only as stated in the following schedule: Friday and Saturday, December 28 and 29, County Office; Tuesday, January 2, River Valley; Wednesday, January 3, St. Hilaire; Friday, January 5, Goodridge Creamery.

At all other times the checks will be in the county office.

BUY LOCKER PLANT FOR THE CREAMERY

At a meeting of the board of directors of the creamery association last week, a contract was entered into with the Creamery Package Company for installation in the creamery of the latest type system of cold storage lockers. Work of making necessary alterations in the work room, where the new plant is to be located, will be started next month and is to be completed before spring so creamery patrons will be enabled to fill their lockers with meats for summer use.

Instead of having two refrigerating systems, one for the lockers and another for the butter storage room and cream cooling coils, the present outfit was so arranged that it will use the entire plant, making the creamery modern in its respect.

Before contracting for this country, particular plant, the board of directors gave careful consideration to the claims and offers of ten or more representatives of ten or more representatives who chose one they considered best for the purpose intended in this creamery.

SCHOOL WORK JAN. 11

According to word received from area officials of WPA, breaking of ground in preparation for erection of the new school addition will occur January 11. It is expected a total of about twenty-five men will be employed at the start, with more put on later.

633 Accident Victims

Over Holiday Week-end
Violent death struck at the four corners of this nation, over the holiday week-end, leaving 633 victims.

Traffic accidents accounted for 418 of the total, the rest resulting from fire, shootings, stabbings and other tragedies. Last year 688 persons died in various kinds of accidents as the result of motor cars. The traffic toll last year was 895.

The total death toll by states included: Iowa, 7; Minnesota, 14; Montana, 1; Nebraska, 4; North Dakota, 1; South Dakota, 7; Wisconsin, 10.

OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS

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Literature explaining everything in detail may be had by calling in person or writing the Navy Recruiting Station, Grand Forks, N. D.

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ROY AGAIN HEADS PENNINGTON BOARD

At the annual meeting of the county board held Tuesday and Wednesday at the court house, County Commissioner Paul Roy was again honored by election for the sixth consecutive term as chairman of the board. The honor is well deserved as Mr. Roy has served the county faithfully, and the county benefits by his long experience. He first became a member of the board in 1929.

Meeting of the board at this time is given over to mapping out plans for operating the different county activities for the coming year, and checking over the road system.

The Thief River Falls Times was named the official paper of the county, and the spectator was designated to publish the second publication of the annual financial statement. The personal property tax list, the delinquent tax list and financial statement will appear in the papers in the county as they have in previous years.

ISSUE CONSERVATION CHECKS

Soil conservation checks for farmers in this part of the county that cooperated in the 1939 program, were issued here yesterday at the county auditor's office. About five hundred checks totaling \$48,500 were received in the first lot, and another lot are expected within a few days. Those who were not present here yesterday to receive their checks, may obtain them at the county agent's office at any time except Friday this week.

James A. Dahl motored here Tuesday evening from Glyndon to attend to matters of business. He was a guest that evening at the M. H. Lindquist home, and left yesterday to attend to other affairs at Grand Forks before returning home.

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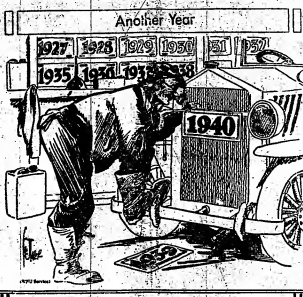
Funeral services for the late Carl Simonson, whose obituary appears elsewhere in this issue, were held Friday afternoon at the Norwegian Lutheran church with Rev. Dahle officiating. Members of the American Legion acted as pallbearers, and performed the usual military honors at the graveside. Interment was in the Lutheran cemetery north of town where Mr. Simonson's parents are buried.

St. Michael-Lindquist. A wedding of interest to local people took place at 7:30 last Sunday when Miss Arabelle St. Michael, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. St. Michael of Duror, became the bride of Vernon Lindquist, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. Lindquist of this village. The ceremony was performed at the parsonage at Red Lake Falls with Rev. Carl Dahle officiating. Miss Helen Heim and the bride's brother, Jon St. Michael, both of Red Lake Falls were the attendants.

The bride, a graduate of the high school at Red Lake Falls, has taught school the past year at Bengt station near Crookston. The groom is proprietor of the Otis Service station here. They left Tuesday morning for Glenwood, and to visit relatives of both parties in the Twin Cities. Upon return they will make their home in living rooms at the station which they occupy. Friends through the community were invited to attend the wedding, and in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Lindquist lifelong happiness.

Rev. and Mrs. M. A. Dahle and daughter, Grace, returned Sunday after being present at the marriage of their son and brother, Dr. M. A. Dahle of Glenwood, which occurred Saturday evening at Glenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hall returned Monday afternoon to their home at Albert Lea after being here for the funeral of Miss Eva Johnson.



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Joe in the river has attained sufficient depth so it can be cut for what Joe needs.

School re-opens next week after the annual Christmas vacation of two weeks.

Mike Highland motored Tuesday to Fosston to attend a district meeting of Standard Oil Company agents.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hanson was down Tuesday from Thief River for a visit at the home of her son, Arthur, and to call on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Graham and daughter, Mary, returned Saturday evening after spending Christmas with relatives at Red Lake.

Miss Hulda Gistad, instructor in the city schools at Moorhead, is spending part of her Christmas vacation at the Mrs. Hilda Gistad home.

There are still a few numbers of the community calendar available. Anyone who has not received a copy, may have one by calling at the Spectator office.

Miss Margaret Bayhan, who had been in the employ of Mrs. Carl Johnson and family for over two years, leaves today for St. Paul where she has prospects for employment.

Richard Larson, H. L. Holmes and M. R. Graham, who were in the employ of the First National Bank at Duluth, Minn., returned to their home at Red Lake, Minn., after a trip to Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorvig, Evelyn, Robert and Raymond; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hallstrom and daughter, Janice, of Thief River Falls, and David Sorvig were guests Sunday at the Martin Erickson home.

Meetings of the village council were held Tuesday and Wednesday nights. At the latter meeting, Wendell Corbett was given permission to erect a log house south of the honey extracting plant.

Miss Verna C. Johnson, daughter of Edwin Johnson of this village, and Leslie O. Dahl, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. Dahl of Arvick, were united in marriage Wednesday, December 27 at 8:00 P. M., in a ceremony at the parsonage at New Sweden.

The bride was Miss Betha Dahl, sister of the groom, and Alfred Hansen of Grand Forks, N. D., attended as best man.

A six o'clock dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dahl, accompanied by the bride and groom, for a group of friends. The party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dahl.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Olson motored Saturday to Grand Forks and spent Sunday at the Boltzman home.

Ellen Janda returned Tuesday to her studies at the state university after having spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Janda.

CARL G. SIMONSON. Carl Gustave Simonson was born at Nelville, Minn., on Oct. 5, 1888, and died at the Veterans Hospital, Wells, Wash., Christmas day. He was the son of Carl Simonson, a farmer on the farm at Nelville, later he attended Concordia College at Moorhead, Minn., and Arkansas-Bumess College at Ark.

He was employed in the next few years in the office of E. J. Lander & Co. at Grand Forks, N. Dak., and also at their branch office at Williston, N. Dak., and Montana. Then he was for a short time in the office of the State Bank at Grand Forks, Minn., in partnership with Mr. Brockway at which time he was called into army service.

He remained in the U. S. Army for about 14 months, most of that time being spent in France. He received his honorable discharge with the rank of corporal at Cheyenne, Wyoming, in the early summer of 1919. After the war for a number of years he was cashier of the First National Bank at Malta, Mont. For the last 10 years or more he has been connected with the State Banking Department of Montana with headquarters at Helena. Later he has been stationed at Chicago in charge of a closed bank which he would have finished liquidating in another year.

He leaves as next of kin the following: His brother, Carl Simonson of Anaheim, Calif., and two sisters, Mrs. N. Venn (Martha) of Cahoon, Dak., and Mrs. M. S. Gjerd (Sally) of Pelican Rapids, Minn., also an uncle, Jim, a cousin at Nelville, Minn., and a cousin in Norway.

Funeral services were held Friday, Dec. 29, at the Norwegian Lutheran church in St. Hilaire, Minn. Rev. M. L. Dahle officiating. Members of the American Legion acted as pallbearers.

Burial was made beside the graves of his parents in the Riverside Cemetery. Outgoing people to the funeral were Carl Simonson of Anaheim, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Venn of Cahoon, Dak.; Rev. and Mrs. M. S. Gjerd and Stanley, Ludolf and Esther of Pelican Rapids, Minn.; Henry and Josephine Olsson; Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Moon and Alfred Vignaud all of Nelville, Minn.; and Mrs. Theodore Strommen, Beltrami, and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Amble, Grand Forks, N. D.

LIEN LAW EFFECTIVE

The homestead lien provision of the old age assistance act, pertaining to Minnesota, went into effect the first of January. Under it, aged persons owning real estate and receiving aid from the state are required to give a lien on the property to the state.

Old age assistance checks now out for this month, require the usual signature as well as another for the lien agreement, stamped on back of the checks, before they can be cashed. Recipients of checks that cannot sign them themselves, must sign by mark two places, and in the presence of two witnesses.

BRAY BOARD MEETS

Officers of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Company, met today to audit books of the company in preparation for an annual meeting which will be held next Wednesday, January 10. The month had been a lossy one, most of them small, during 1939, but is in very good financial condition.

Nelson-Dahle Nuptials. Last Saturday, December 30, at Willmar occurred the marriage of Dr. Manfred B. Dahle of Glenwood, son of Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle of this village, to Miss Myrtle Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Nelson of Willmar.

The ceremony took place at 8 P. M., at the Willmar Lutheran church which was beautifully decorated for the occasion.

Miss Lois Kloth of Norwood was the maid of honor, and the bridesmaids were Miss Irene Berg of Willmar and Miss Dorothy Range of Rochester. Miss Adeline and Norma Nelson, sons of Sam Center, cousins of the bride, were junior bridesmaids. Dr. Horace McCre of St. Paul was the best man. Ushers were Dr. Newell Arnsgard and Robert Sande of Minneapolis. After Nelson and Dahle, the sons, brothers of the bride, of Willmar.

Following the ceremony, a reception was given at the church parson which was attended by more than three hundred people.

Dr. Dahle, a graduate of the University of North Dakota, and Rush Medical College, Chicago, recently established his own office in Glenwood. He is a member of the Minnesota hospital association in Minneapolis hospital unit recently.

Following a short trip to Minneapolis, Dr. and Mrs. Dahle returned to Glenwood to establish their home.

Friends in his home community, join in wishing Dr. and Mrs. Dahle unbounded success and happiness.

County Commissioner Paul Roy went Tuesday morning to Thief River Falls to preside at annual meeting of the county board.

SERVICES HELD FOR

MISS EVA JOHNSON

Death removed one of the best beloved citizens of this village Friday when Miss Eva L. Johnson died unexpectedly at her home after nursing an apoplectic stroke. Taken ill at 8 o'clock, she passed away a few minutes before midnight.

Miss Johnson was born at Vivian, Minn., the 26th of February, 1888 and was 50 years and 10 months of age. Her childhood years were spent in the southern part of the state, and she came with her parents to reside in St. Hilaire in the fall of 1931. She attended the local school and was later employed in the local postoffice until the spring of 1936 when she suffered a stroke. Also everything possible was done for her at that time and she remained a wheel-chair invalid until her death.

Blessed with a keen mind, an indomitable will, and a consuming love for her family, she was a source of inspiration to those about her, and her life was a lesson in the value of life.

Her father and a sister, Nora died some years ago. During the past eleven years she resided during school years with her mother and sister, Lily, while the latter was supervisor of grades at the city schools at Austin. Summer vacation months they always occupied their home in the village. Following death of Lily Johnson last January, Miss Eva and her mother returned to their home where Mrs. Johnson died last September. She had been a member of her family. Eva maintained her home and cared for her mother, as she had lived, to the end.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at the Norwegian Lutheran church with Rev. M. L. Dahle officiating. Interment was in the family plot in the village cemetery beside her parents and sisters.

Surviving relatives and friends here for the funeral included Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hall of Albert Lea; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Strom and daughter, Gladys, recently established his own office in Glenwood. He is a member of the Minnesota hospital association in Minneapolis hospital unit recently.

P. T. A. FRIDAY, JAN. 12. Next meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association will be held Friday night, January 12, at 7:30 P. M., at the home of Mrs. J. H. Johnson.

The show moving pictures entitled "South American Pictures" covering a trip thru South America, and the film "So This is London," showing past and present of that interesting city, lunch will be served as usual, following the program.

Your Creamery

The creamery, organized and built by the people of this community because they saw a need for co-operative marketing of their farm products, can grow and prosper only in the same proportion as it is patronized by the people of the community. Work and boost for the creamery. The more you patronize it, the greater your profits will be.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

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BRAY MUTUAL LOGS ITS ANNUAL MEETING

Annual meeting of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Company was held at the company's headquarters in the city of St. Hilare, Minn., yesterday afternoon. Despite the unfavorable weather, a good representation of policy holders from both counties was present.

Annual report of the secretary, which will be published soon, shows the company enjoyed a substantial growth in the past year with 115 new members added. The company has had a number of losses during 1939, most of them small. Altogether there has been no assessment for three years, there is a good balance in the treasury, and unless some large loss should occur, there may be no assessment this year.

At the election of officers, Paul Thyrren was named president to succeed E. A. A. G. Hallstrom was elected vice president to succeed Anton Anderson, and Gust Noplin was named director to succeed Herman Orloff. John O. Swanson, secretary, and John E. Larson, treasurer, were re-elected. The outgoing officers as well as those re-elected have given years of splendid service to the company, and its very fine condition at the present time is due largely to their untiring efforts in its behalf. John O. Swanson, the secretary, has finished 32 years in the same position he holds now.

Named as board of audit were Emil Larsen, George G. Swanson and Alf Longman. All township agents were re-appointed. It was decided to hold the 1941 annual meeting in St. Hilare.

Buried in Westminster Abbey—The first king buried in Westminster Abbey was Edward the Confessor, who was interred in 1065.

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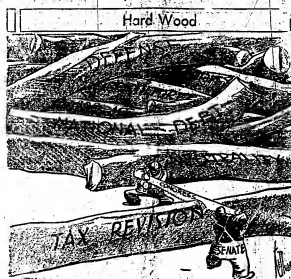
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Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

He'sa Vik returned Sunday to her school teaching work at Pleasant after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arne Vik.

Miss Hulda Gistad left Thursday to visit a couple days with her cousin at Crookston with her sister, Mrs. Margaret Volten, and to call on old friends.

Light snowfall occurred in this section both Tuesday and Wednesday. The total fall was not enough to hamper auto travel or to necessitate use of snow removal equipment.

School reopened Monday morning after the annual holiday vacation of two weeks. All teachers were on hand with exception of Miss Milla who came Tuesday morning.

The high school basketball game gave a good account of themselves Tuesday night when they met the Red Lake Falls quint in the hall there. The game was quite even and ended in victory for Red Lake by a score of 15 to 14.

The Redwood Inn bowling team registered their position at top of the bowling league at Thiel River last Monday night. They are hard-pressed however and have some tough opponents to overcome before making their position secure.

Preparations have begun for flooding the down-town skating rink again. As there is plenty of excellent skating on the river for the older children, the town rink is being prepared chiefly for use of the little folks. It is not planned to have any warning hose.

Meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association will be held at the school building Friday with Miss R. Lindholm of Red Lake Falls will present a program of moving pictures as the main part of the program. Because the films named last week are not available in time for Friday, Rev. Lindholm will show views "Along the Oregon Trail," a very interesting and instructive feature.

EMIL FISHES FOR PERCH PULLS OUT CAR Flyman—Emil Loos and brother-in-law John Loos were fishing on Lake Hyman and Emil really had something to pull out before he came home. Emil parked his car at Kagan's point, but while fishing glanced up to see the vehicle behind him was being towed. The car plunged into the water and stopped when it struck the ice, thus creating a twelve-foot drop off the lake nearby. With the aid of a net, the car was pulled out.

Waiting Before King and Queen To learn to walk correctly for a graceful entrance into the throne room when "presented" to the king and queen, women in the learned to follow a new standard on the day.

ENROUTE TO OKLAHOMA

Adolph Belden left yesterday by car enroute to Enid, Okla., to spend the remainder of the winter with his son, Clifford, manager of a large creamery in that city. Mr. Belden planned to call on relatives in South Dakota while enroute. Raised in a section where snow and cold weather were always associated with winter, Mr. Belden has not felt at home during the present open winter here so consoled to go south where there is snow.

SCHOOL WORK STARTS MONDAY

According to information received, a crew of WPA workers will start work Monday, excavating the basement for the new physical education building and auditorium to be erected on the school ground. A tool house and warming house are being put up for the convenience of the men employed. It is not expected the work will progress at a rapid rate owing to frozen condition of the ground. September 26 of this year is set as the date on which the building is to be fully completed.

WOULD QUIT TWO BUSSES

Since the Tri-State Transportation Co. has been granted permission to route its Detroit Lakes-Baudette bus line here from Erskine instead of going over T. H. No. 56, the company has petitioned the Railroad and Warehouse Commission for permission to discontinue the Warrenton-Bendish line and use one of the two buses now operating between Crookston and Thiel River Falls, neither of which are paying propositions. A public hearing on the petition will be held January 25 at Thiel River Falls.

WEDNESDAY JUNK FOR AUTO DRIVERS HERE

Wascas—It seems unusual to note that four serious accidents have occurred near Wascas on Wednesday afternoons or early evenings during the past two months. In one accident alone 11 people were hurt, some seriously. In others of these accidents, some of the occupants were victims of death. Accidents will happen, but the worst seem to happen around here on Wednesday.

THIS BANDIT DIDN'T LIKE HAM, IT SEEMS

Fairmont—Robert Warren, Fairmont painter, parked his car for a few minutes, and upon returning found someone had stolen three pounds of butter, two pounds of cheese and a slab of dried, eight pounds of bananas and a quart of milk. Evidently, the bandit does not eat ham, for he left an eight-pound smoked ham in the car. Bob is sorry that the bandit did prove satisfactory to the bandits.

HAVE INFORMATION MEET

A good turnout of farmers and operators rounding through this part of the county attended an information meeting Tuesday at the Jackson hotel here. County Agent Howard Grow, Hans Solberg of Goodridge, and Paul Hesse of Hesse, speaking at the meeting, imparting information about the 1940 farm program. Other meetings will be held through the county to acquaint farmers with the new features of the program among which is an allowance of \$20 for every farm to be earned by tree-planting; some changes in the size of payments for soil-building projects such as new seedings. The grouping or classification of crops into dryland and non-depleting types remain about the same as last year.

ALL-AMERICAN SHOW MONDAY AT G. FORKS

Aristocrats of the turkey world, including a number of the finest brood birds raised on this continent, will be on display next week when the seventeenth annual All-American Turkey Show opens at Grand Forks to continue for a week.

The show which is international in scope, attracts exhibitors from many states of the Union, and being interest in it is taken by turkey raisers in some of the U. S. island possessions as well as many foreign countries. As a result of contacts made at the show, fine quality turkey eggs have been shipped from here to South Africa and other distant places. New and interesting features are added yearly to the programs, and the show is fast gaining a national reputation for being the finest of its kind in this country.

Mrs. W. J. Janda of this village, a pioneer in the business of raising turkeys by the confinement plan, now is, and for several years has been secretary of the All-American Turkey Club which sponsors the All-American Turkey Show.

ORANGE TEAM WINS

The Orange team, trailing for honors in this winter's whistle tournament, showed unexpected strength by defeating their opponents, the White Argonauts, in Tuesday's meeting at Jackson hall, and were guests of the latter at lunch following. By mutual agreement it was decided to have another meeting Tuesday night next week at which time the White team will endeavor to regain their lost prestige.

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TURKEYMEN—STOCKMEN

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★ Fan Mail From Far
★ Brought London Here
★ It's an Ill Illness

By Virginia Vale

MADEIRAINE CARROLL has the grandest bunch of fan mail in all Hollywood. It comes from France, from a group of French children who are living in her chateau in the country, secured from the danger of Paris air raids and gas attacks. The children take time from their studies and games to

MADEIRAINE CARROLL

write to Miss Carroll, who reads their letters as she relaxes from scenes of "My Son, My Son!"

The famous English Belle pulled out of Hollywood the other day for scenes in that same picture. Her station, however, was a replica of the famous Victoria station, the train was a replica of the British Belle, which covers the 62 miles between London and Brighton in 40 minutes, and the men who filled it were extras, not British Tourists.

But to many who watched, the atmosphere was the same as it would have been in the original setting. Producer Edward Small could not shoot the scene in London because of the present war, but in portraying a scene that dates back to the last one he brought to California for the moment, all the feeling that fills the railway stations of Europe in these times, as trains filled with soldiers have for the first.

A case of appendicitis was responsible for the March of Time exclusive film of the island of Guam. Victor Jurgens, the 29-year-old camera man who last year filmed the March of Time's memorable motion picture story on Japan, was stricken with appendicitis while on his way to Guam; he was operated on and by many surgeons, recuperated at Guam, and spent his final days in all aspects of civil and military life on the important little island. It is part of the new release, "The Pacific," and is one of the best films the M. of T. has given us.

"Four Wives" proves that it's possible for a sequel to live up to the reputation established by a popular film. People like "Four Wives" so much that it seemed unlikely that the picture carrying the name along could be anything but a disappointment. "Four Wives" is so well done that it will make new friends for the family it portrays as eagerly.

Kay Francis will appear in "The Dilemma" as Diana Durnin's mother—a very glamorous mother actress. Nervous Shearer may have a mother role, too, in film version of the popular novel, "Escape," who is also a famous actress by the way—middle aged and has a grown son, it seems likely that the story will be rewritten for Miss Shearer's benefit.

By a strange coincidence, Patry Meekins, "convicted" actor of radio station WLS, Chicago, goes on the air every night at 10:30 on the same time as her brother does in the KKKO in Sioux Falls, S. D. It's rather hard to tell whether mother—not only to their broadcast at the same hour, but it's also in the same hour.

Dave Elman will never have a seat on his "Hobby Lobby" program again if he can help it. The one he had recently cut him along the line. It had to be for pieces of fish, frequently. The supply of fish, which had seemed ample, disappeared in no time, and Elman was left with the ending out to restaurants near the Columbia playhouse for more.

Restaurants in that part of New York are far from cheap; the fact that the fish was for a real instance of a human being didn't affect the price. So, if Elman has anything to do with seals, don't try to land on the hobby lobby again, lest, not until he has forgotten how expensive fish can be.

—ODDS AND ENDS—
"Win the Derby" will be released in a few days. Robert Montgomery is due to appear in it, as is also "The Only Game in Town." "The Only Game in Town" is due to appear in a few days. "The Only Game in Town" is due to appear in a few days.

Bruckhart's Washington Digest

'Pressure Groups' Already Are Worrying Members of Congress

New Deal Agencies, Seekers After Justice and Promoters of Various Movements Active as Usual; Old Age Pensions, Unemployment Insurance Not Neglected.

BY WILLIAM BRUCKHART
WFO Service, National Press Bldg., Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON—About the time the congress reconvenes each year, the national capital is deluged with what have come to be known as "pressure groups." It is a poor description. I believe most of them can be called "welfare groups" for the reason that the selfishness of individuals who (or promote) movements or causes or demands for justice usually have jobs of their own at stake.

They want to keep their followers happy, especially the ones who have increased demands or declarations so that their representatives or their delegation may put up a good show in the city of Washington.

Any way, it is the open season for such things. They bustle their way to a hive of bees. They are engaged in the annual invasion upon senators and congressmen, and among the numerous New Deal agencies, seeking justice, writing help for those whose liberties are being trampled upon the local, state and national level.

They are the usual spokesmen for corporations and groups of corporations. They are not, as a rule, as bad as the racketeers. These fellows, however, have a different kind of life in the results. The seekers after individual justice.

'PRESSURE GROUPS' BUSY
Hurry members of congress with various causes.
The time of the year for the coming of the pressure groups is now. Many movements will not get very far.

Union labor and the American Legion active.
Bruckhart doesn't believe it is possible for any movement to get very far.

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ber of seekers after justice in Washington. It is astonishing to see the lengths to which some of them will go. For example, there is one great church organization that sought to force the census bureau to include in the forthcoming census certain questions that would have given the church a powerful leverage in the future administration of government affairs, according to well-substantiated reports.

The old-fashioned church representative tried for weeks to keep pressure on the census bureau, but failed in three questions. He made some threats about the consequences, but the census bureau did not budge. The government authority to whom the census bureau submitted the question had the guts to say "no" and that was the end of the matter.

It was a desperate thing, however, and illustrates the changes in the census bureau. The census bureau is now a much more powerful organization than it was in the past. It is now a much more powerful organization than it was in the past.

Old Age Pensions Are Working For Gifts From Government.
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WHO'S NEWS

THIS WEEK

BY LEMUEL F. PARTON

NEW YORK—Word comes from London that Sir Seymour Hicks, a British actor, is a leading member of the British Legion, a writer of comedies and a writer of comedies and a writer of comedies.

He is 78 years old and last month celebrated his fifty-second year on the stage.

He started life as a call boy in a London theatre, and his first job was, as an underwriter's assistant, a hired monkey, sometimes filling in as an emergency ball-balancer and the like. He wrote black and white and was in his new career, until his manager, who was a friend of his, told him that he was a failure.

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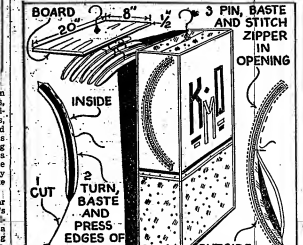
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HOW TO SEW

by Ruth Wyeth Spears



Garment bags made from odds and ends.

"DEAR MRS. SPEARS: I thought you might be interested in a small book I have written for each member of my family. It is entitled 'How to Sew' and is on hand. The foundation part of each was made of 1/2-inch baste, 6 screen, a hook from a hanger, and five small screw hooks underneath. For the bag, I combined muslin four sack with odds and ends of figured cottons and trimmed the joinings with satin. The upper left is sketched in blue to mark the bags."

"At the upper left is sketched the foundation that this reader is to get a lot of even better and opening, the 36-inch length is best. You may find it useful. It will have a wider opening. Each step in applying the zipper in this way is shown here."

NOTE: The Sewing Manual contains a copy of Mrs. Spears' Sewing Book 2, in which she illustrates the five standard methods of roping all kinds of fabrics. Thirty-two pages of delightful every day sewing hints will get your copy sent 10 cents in coin to Mrs. Spears, Drawer 10, Bedford Hills, New York, to cover cost.

AROUND THE HOUSE

Items of Interest to the Housewife

In making candy the materials should be collected ahead of time and a path should be selected big enough to allow for boiling and stirring. In case any material is in the way, it should be moved out of the way.

Almost all fruit stains may be removed by soaking them in boiling water. In case any material is in the way, it should be moved out of the way.

Seven drops of lemon juice added to a quart of water will keep it from turning yellow. It will keep it from turning yellow.

ACHING CHEST COLDS

Read More Than "Just Sore?"

To relieve chest colds, coughs and croup, use MISTEROLE. It is a powerful cough suppressant and expectorant. It is a powerful cough suppressant and expectorant.

MISTEROLE

Better Than A Mustard Plaster!

No, No, No. Never volunteer for nothing unless on a circumlocution—Wicks.

FOR A GOOD TIME OR TWO, MISTEROLE. POP CORN. GUARANTEED BEST.

CLOTHESPIN NOSE

Seal of Will Shakespeare.

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BEACONS OF SAFETY

Like a beacon light on the height—the advertisement in the newspaper direct you to a better and easier way of providing the things needed or desired. It shines, this beacon of newspaper advertising—and it will be to your advantage to follow it whenever you make a purchase.

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WINTER SHOWS TO BE HELD FEB. 5-9

The 30th annual Red River Valley Show and livestock show will be held at Crookston on Saturday, Feb. 5, and the week will end at Crookston on Sunday, Feb. 9. The show, now grown from a modest beginning in 1911, to a scale where now three large buildings are inadequate to house all entries. The attendance at the educational meetings each year for men, women and 4-H club members, equine use of the high school auditorium and armory with a combined seating capacity of three thousand.

More than 2,000 exhibits of livestock, crops and poultry are entered in competition last year. More than \$60,000 in cash money received from state and county appraisals, is paid out as premiums each year. The four day schedule of educational meetings for men and women with aspects of state and national reputation, is conducted free to the public. A total of from 4,000 to 5,000 attend the educational meetings annually. About half that number annually attend the livestock and poultry shows, with a similar number attending the night programs.

In addition to a special speaking program, said to be one of the best in the history of the Winter Shows, featuring bands and choral groups will furnish music during the week. The annual Red River Valley rural school spelling contest, always a big drawing card, will be held the final day, Friday, February 9.

\$15,000 DAMAGE FROM COZIMA BLAZE SUNDAY
"Damage estimated at \$15,000 was caused by fire which hit Sunday night destroyed two houses, buildings at Cozima village, 20 miles north of Detroit Lakes. Burned were the Forest Henderson grocery and a beer parlor operated by Nelson Sundak.

Preserving Grain Cakes
University will give \$100 as a grant for saving soil

THE WHIST SERIES

The Orange team, encouraged by their success a week ago, took their opponents for another meeting at the Tuesday night meeting of the whist tournament, and were guests of the latter at lunch. These meetings create much good will among those that participate, and help break the monotony of winter months.

OBSEQUE 25TH

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lardy, residing in the Addition in Rockville, observed their silver wedding last Saturday with a gathering of relatives at their home. A pleasant time was spent, and Mr. and Mrs. Lardy were presented appropriate reminders.

On Sunday afternoon a group of friends from village and nearby territory tendered Mr. and Mrs. Lardy a surprise party. The group brought a bounteous supply of good things to eat, and spent a very enjoyable afternoon. Sunday were John Gustafson and family, Lloyd Johnson and family, Arvid Dahmon and family, Elmer Johnson and son, Peter Simonson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Surmo, Jens Almqvist and family, Robert Swanson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sever Skottson, Mrs. Ernie Rolland, O. Haglund and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ordean Olson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Johnson and Carl Aubel.

DEDICATE NEW SCHOOL

Formal dedication of the magnificent new high school building at Thief River Falls was held last Thursday evening. George Selks, president of the St. Cloud teachers college, delivered the dedicatory address.

OLD FIRE BELL

SHALL RING NO MORE
Sank Centre.—The curfew shall not ring again, as the bell which warned home and city that it was time to go home and called firemen in time of need has been sold as junk. Frank Fenchel, farmer, purchased for \$25, and \$75 was received for the bell which was sold to a junk dealer. The bell was installed in 1907.



Talks About Town

Happenings of the Week. Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Regular monthly meeting of the school board was held Tuesday night at the school office.

Ice on the river here is about twenty inches deep at the present time. Where the ice has been cleared for cutting, it has attained a depth of about two feet.

Mrs. Josephine Nelson, who moves her home with her husband, H. O. Jackson, has been ill the past few weeks. Mrs. Jackson is assisting at the Jackson home during illness of Mrs. Nelson.

Wendell Corbett has finished his new ice house, south of the school, and is now ready to receive a carload of sawlogs. This week from Bagley, and will start at once to put up next season's supply of ice for use of his customers.

Meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association at the school last Friday being their regular meeting. The association was called to order by the chairman, Mrs. E. Hanson at 7 P. M. Members present: Hanson, Beebe, Larson, Jackson, Brink, Holmes and Supt. Gustafson.

Minutes of the last regular meeting of Dec. 15th were read and approved as read. Motion was made by Brink and seconded by Larson that the following bill be allowed: St. Hilaire Tel. Co., rent and tolls \$18.85; Acme Chemical Co., pay for on bills \$17.00; Bescon Corp., stop signals for buses \$10.50; Gregey Pub. Co., high school texts \$1.17; E. A. Owen company, library books \$2.25; Ed. Engst, trucking and hauling wood for garage \$4.40; M. A. Highland, fueling his 4 cord \$10.50; Dian Bros. 5 cords tamarac wood \$28.00; Henry C. Ecklund & Co., architects fees, Gym \$50.00; Henderson's Dealership, small ins. Co., ins. premium \$246.50; West State supplies \$1.15.

Motion carried. No further business, motion for adjournment carried. H. L. HOLMES, Clerk. Mrs. Eleanor Hanson, President.

MERCURY NOSE-DIVES

After experiencing almost summer-like weather until after Christmas, this section is being treated to a bit of real winter at present. This week the mercury has been well down below twenty below zero at different times. The cold wave is sweeping eastward toward the Atlantic coast. No letup is promised for this part of the country until Saturday.

START WORK AT SCHOOL

A crew of WPA workers under direction of H. Lewis of Lengby, started work this week on the new physical education building and auditorium to be erected on the school grounds. A warming house and a tool shed were put up for convenience of the workers the first of the week. Because of the extremely cold weather prevailing, it is not expected much progress will be made until weather moderates. Mr. Lewis has had charge of the erection of a number of similar buildings in this part of the state, reaching from Colorado east to one being at Fisher which the Atlantic seaboard. The is about the same size and type storm extended as far north as of building as that to be built near northern Iowa and southern here.

RIVER WORK TOPIC AT T. R. F. MEET

State Senator E. L. Tungsteth has arranged for a meeting on the Red Lake, Charwater and Thief River Flood Control project to be held at the Civic and Commerce room in the Auditorium, Tuesday, January 23 at 2:00 P. M. Purpose of the meeting, which is public, is to offer information relative to the progress made on this project to date and also to make plans for continuing active support of the project in future to insure an early action by Congress. Henry Holt, Chairman of the Tri-State Water Commission, Grand Forks, and Mr. Dean of the Holm, Secretary of the State Water Commission, St. Paul, will both speak at the meeting. The project is invited.

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Compare these values with any competition and you will agree they are real bargains.

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- OXYDOL, large size...1 lb. can 74c
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- AMAZO STYUP, Bown...10 lb. pail 43c
- OUR FAMILY APRICOTS, large cans...3 for 43c
- OUR FAMILY ROLLED OATS...3 lb. box 15c
- CORNMEAL...10 lb. sacks, each 29c
- ONIONS, very good...10 lbs. 13c
- PEANUT BUTTER...2 lb. jar 22c
- SWANS DOWN CAKE FLOUR, pkgs...4 for 23c
- JELLO, 6 delicious flavors...1 lb. box 19c
- HONEY, per 5 lb. pail...2 for 37c
- LARD, Swift's in pound cartons...2 for 12c
- KRAFTS MACARONI DINNER, per pkg...12c
- RED TAG ASSORTED FRIGS, 8 1/2-oz. cans...7c
- FIGS, 8-ounce packages...7c
- OUR FAMILY SPOKS, assorted...3 for 23c
- MARSHMALLOWS...1 lb. bags 13c
- FIG BARS OR GINGER SNAPS...3 lbs. 25c
- DATES, very fine quality...3 lbs. 25c
- LADIES' SNOW SUITS, per \$8.98, girls' at \$6.75
- LADIES' SNOW SUITS, \$1.75, Girls' Snow
- Pants at
- CHILD'S ALL RUBBER 2-SNAP O'SHOES, size 12 to 1...\$1.50
- BOYS' RUBBERS, heavy, sizes 12 to 3...50c

A few odds and ends in footwear and winter goods at give-away prices.

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Our Old-Time Couch Is Made Streamline

BY RUTH WYETH SPEARS

WAS there a couch that sat at the top of this sketch, in the family "sitting room" when you were a child? Let's get it down from the attic, for just see what can be done with it. Properly streamlined it will look like the middle picture.

First paint the front of frame; then cover up only the head portion with cotton batting; next use bright cotton upholstery material. Remove stuffing at high



Now, make like and take like those illustrated. The dotted lines indicate how the couch fits under the table and how a partition and shelves are put in the one at the lower end. Paint the back and end of the couch with the upholstery material. Pull directions for changing an old bed into the new style. See the sketch on page 3.

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Strange Facts

Smell the Danger Clear Way for Slush, Humble Humble Humble

In many large Western mines where alarm bells cannot be covered by the noise of the machinery, the workers are warned of a fire by an odor produced by a few drops of butyl mercaptan put into the air-circulating system. This danger signal has the odor of skunk.

When the abas of Iran threaten about this country by motorcar, all roads are closed a day in advance, all houses are passed are freshly whitewashed and all the dogs in the villages where he stops for the night are killed—so he is a very light sleeper.

More than half of the world's 2,000 adult nudists are married to normal-sized husbands and wives.

The La Trappe monastery in Angoulême, France, following the custom of many other religious houses, allows only the head of the institution to walk in the middle of the halls and passageways. All others walk close to the walls, as a gesture of humility.

Metaphorical Flight
A Vermont lawyer who put his metaphors mixed up, closed his argument in a trower case as follows:

"And now gentlemen of the jury, comes the defendant with flying footsteps, with the cloak of hypocrisy in his mouth, and puts his hands into the pockets of my poor defendants client and took therefrom two oxen and a pig."—Lamb Globe.



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CONGRESS:

Budget Bills

What Franklin Roosevelt's budget message tossed into the congressional bag was a choice of following his recommendations and getting a deficit of only \$1,700,000, or deferring him and making it about \$3,000,000. Shaded were most items, but looked to a pessimistic record was national defense. If the President's ideas are followed, and if previous appropriations are appropriated, the cost will run well over \$4,000,000.

Very likely was the hope that an early Budget program may obviate the defense program. It appeared, instead, that congress must enter an election year trace and decide which plan to follow, and swallow the cost. The former was \$400,000,000 in the added, or a boost in the national debt.

Within a few days it was obvious that good Democrats were sparring for time. They gathered in budget to wonder where tax money might be raised, tentatively settling on new liquor taxes and a slight boost in income taxes. But defense program, chairman of the senate finance committee, said: "We pledge our votes for our beloved Rumanian fatherland."

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Squabbles

Before 1940 has gone its way the brave nation of Rumania may see trouble a plenty. It started that day. Budapest heard that Bulgaria, its unfriendly southern neighbor, had signed a trade pact with Russia, which wants the Rumanian province of Bessarabia. Next King Carol heard that Hungary's Count Stefan Cakoy, whose nation will annex Rumanian Transylvania if Russia invades Bessarabia, was conducting in Italy with Foreign Minister Ciano.

A political realist, Italy's Benito Mussolini knows the Balkans have a better chance of blocking Russian aggression than the Balkans. Italy if they settle their squabbles first. Purpose of the Balkan Cakoy conversations, therefore, was to urge Hungary and Rumania to settle their rivalries and problems immediately. In so doing, it Duce a heavy slap to the Soviet.

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INDIGESTION

Seasonal Relief from Indigestion

Indigestion is a common ailment, especially in the spring and summer months. It is caused by a variety of factors, including overeating, eating too fast, and eating rich or spicy foods. The result is a feeling of fullness, bloating, and discomfort in the stomach.

The Half-Way Pool
The foals and the wise are equally harmless; it is the half-wild and the half-foolish who are the most to be feared.—Goethe.

SANDPAPER

THROAT
Use a cold cream to soothe the throat and prevent sore throat. Use a cold cream to soothe the throat and prevent sore throat. Use a cold cream to soothe the throat and prevent sore throat.

LUDEN'S 5¢
Menthol Cough Drops

Weaving on Life's Loom
We sleep, but the loom of life is weaving away. We sleep, but the loom of life is weaving away. We sleep, but the loom of life is weaving away.

FAST BURNING
SLOW BURNING
SLOW BURNING
SLOW BURNING

WITH
CAMELS
SLOWER
BURNING
YOU GET
EXTRA
MILDNESS

On a Dollar Bill
The design and inscriptions on our one dollar bill are taken from the reverse side of the Great Seal of the United States, adapted in 1796. The two Latin mottos translated read "E Pluribus Unum" and "We are one."

Need More Than "Safe" To
Quietly Before BUSINESS
Before you go to bed, rub your throat, chest and back with warm oil. Rub your throat, chest and back

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St. Hilaire, Minn., Thursday, Jan. 25, 1940

**MANTOUX TESTING
TO START FEB. 19**

Plans for a county wide tuberculin testing program were recently completed, it was announced today by Dr. Borreson superintendent of Oakland Park sanatorium.

The survey which is being made possible by the Pemington County Public Health Association with the money collected by the sale of Christmas Seals, will get underway in Thief River Falls, February 19.

The test will be available to all who wish to take it, but the main purpose is to check on possible tubercular infections, in all school children, bus drivers, janitors, as well as students in the community.

The Mantoux tuberculin test is a simple harmless skin test by which we can tell whether or not any person, child or adult, has ever received the germ of tuberculosis in his body, said Miss Margaret Heasburg, field nurse for the sanatorium, who will assist Doctor Borreson with the testing. If the test is positive the person should immediately have an X-ray examination immediately, to find out if any damage has been done to the lungs. Tuberculosis is often found in people who least suspect it.

Bus transportation will be pro-

vided to take the positive reactors to the sanatorium for their X-rays. This service is entirely free to school children, but any adults showing a positive reaction to the test and wish an X-ray at the sanatorium will have to pay the usual fee of \$2.00 for their X-ray. There is no charge for the Mantoux.

FINISHING LOCKER ROOM
The rooms for housing the new cold storage locker system at the creamery will be finished this week. Equipment for the plant is expected to arrive shortly, and the outfit will be completed and ready for operation about February 15th.

An auditor is busy at the creamery this week checking accounts for the past year in preparation for making the annual report to be given stockholders at the annual creamer meeting, Feb. 5th.

MATH BARZEN CO., Inc.
St. Hilaire, Minn.

GREAT NORTHERN
Fergus Falls—Honors for appearing the first "whopper" of the winter season go to Anton Nelson. Anton came home with 17-pound great northern pike appeared in Stalker Lake. It wasn't enough however, as no Anton was cut trying to get the "big brother" of the one he landed.

Pardons for Deserter
President Coolidge granted amnesty and pardon to individuals who deserted from the military or naval service of the United States on or after November 11, 1918.

This meeting is called for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, and to transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting. The Land O'Lakes meeting agreement will be discussed and acted upon. Lunch will be served following the meeting.

DANCE
—at the—
Do Drop Inn
St. Ellaire, Minn.
Saturday, Jan. 27
—Music by—
"Tex" and his Broncho
Busters
Admission 25 cents
Dancing from 9 to 1 A. M.

**Folks who want
a really big gasoline value
buy FIRE-CHIEF**

Wise motorists from coast-to-coast choose Fire-Chief gasoline. They know this—at its price you can't buy a better gasoline. Be thrifty. Choose Fire-Chief for its economy. And enjoy it for its brilliant, lively power...its quicker



the choice of
most of the nation's leading motorists.

AT
Texaco Service Station
Bilden & Olsen, Props.
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Your Creamery

The creamery, organized and built by the people of this community because they saw a need for co-operative marketing of their farm products, can grow and prosper only in the same proportion as it is patronized by the people of the community. Work and boost for the creamery. The more you patronize it, the greater your profits will be

St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery Association
St. Hilaire, Minn.

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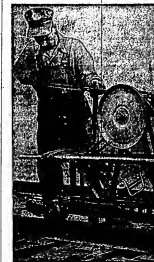
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AT THE Churches

Mission Covenant Church
 Roy N. Wiberg, Pastor
 410 S. St. Paul Ave.
 Thief River Falls, Minn.
 This Thursday 8 P. M.: Y. P. program and social. (Instead of last Thursday.)
 Saturday, 10:30 A. M., Confirmation class.



Replacement of railroad ties is not the laborious task it used to be. With motor-driven tie-cutting machines, Great Northern track crews swiftly remove old ties. The saw blade and the operator, left hand, cut through the ties on the inside of the rails, facilitating easy removal and replacement.

Billions for a Handicap!

Farmers especially will be interested in what Senator Clyde M. Reed of Kansas has to say about transportation, because for many years he has represented farm organizations in transportation matters. Recently, in Chicago, he spoke on the need for a sound national transportation policy.

"What I am trying to do as the United States Senator," he said, "is to help the country straighten out its tangled transportation situation so that the most efficient and economical service may be given to the public at the lowest cost."

Characterizing most river improvement schemes as "rackets," Senator Reed asserted that "inland waterway transportation is not low cost transportation; it is the highest cost transportation as compared with the highways or the railroads. The only reason for lower charges is the subsidy paid by taxpayers out of the public treasury."

"The important thing in this connection," he said, "is whether we are going to continue to tax the whole people for the benefit of a comparatively small number of people. Are the cities and trade centers located off the rivers to be, not only taxed, but additionally penalized by lower freight charges given their competitors located on the rivers? My answer is, 'No!'"

"Paraphrasing a whole," the Kansas Senator declared, "have not profited a cent by the billions of dollars spent on 'river improvement.' The proponents of river navigation, he added, 'held out to the public the idea that it is getting some benefit from roads upon the public treasury,' but that 'in most cases the commodities so moved are sold to the public, not on the basis of lower river rates, but on a basis of the higher railroad rates.'"

"I proclaim my belief here and now," said Senator Reed, "that a sound public policy would be one that imposed upon all traffic using facilities created out of the public treasury, tolls that would reasonably recompense the taxpayers for the money taken from them. If that were done, traffic would move by the cheapest and best route."

"If you would like to read Senator Reed's address on 'A National Transportation Policy,' ask or write your local Great Northern Station Agent, Local Representative or copy or write to the Great Northern Railway, St. Paul, Minn."

Great Northern Railway

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25 Years Ago

From Spectator 1915 File:
 Glen Martin, construction engineer for the new electric line from Thief River Falls to Goodhue, was business for the line.

Henry Olson moved his shop of work into the front room of the Braum building which was vacated by the barbershop.

G. Fellman's auto lively occupied continuously ten months that year which was considered a record for this section where snow usually made auto use impossible in the winter.

Neighbors to the number of over forty enjoyed a surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Roy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bridge and family of Birch Hills, S. Dak., were visiting at the Mike McAndrew home. Mr. Bridge was visiting at the Mike McAndrew home. Mr. Bridge was visiting at the Mike McAndrew home.

FRANK W. WHITE IS REELECTED HEAD OF FARM BUREAU

Re-election of President Frank W. White and other officers and directors whose terms expired tonight at the 21st annual convention of the Minnesota Farm Bureau held in St. Paul Jan. 15-17. The meeting, attended by thousands of Minnesota farmers, was featured by the participation of two governors, Minnesota's republican Governor, Harold E. Stassen, and Minnesota's Democratic Governor, C. M. Clifford Townsend. There was no vote change in the officers represented by these standard bearers of opposing parties, so far as farm legislation is concerned.

Gov. Stassen, at the general assembly at University Park on Jan. 16, endorsed the surplus control program and stressed the necessity for solving further into soil conservation. Gov. Townsend, however, stressed the importance of the farm bureau in the future. He stressed the necessity for greater harmony between all groups, so that all might be benefited. Each side held long labor relations acts in their respective states had practically wiped out strikes as a means of settling labor and industry disputes. Gov. Stassen stressed the necessity for greater harmony between all groups, so that all might be benefited. Each side held long labor relations acts in their respective states had practically wiped out strikes as a means of settling labor and industry disputes.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Peterson presented a gift of a son born Sunday, January 21.

Birthday Party
 The following to a luncheon in honor of her daughter, Shirley Ann's fourth birthday anniversary Friday afternoon.

These present were: Mrs. Martin Ellington, Art Weid, Pete Nelson, Adrian Anderson, Shirley Ann's fourth birthday anniversary Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Lindquist presented a gift of a son born Sunday, January 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rude, daughter Betty Ann of Smiley were visitors at the latter's mother and sister, Mrs. Martha Locken and Margaret Locken Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegard were Saturday evening visitors at the Odegard home at St. Hilaire.

Miss Hazel Nelson left Sunday for the Ed. Vik home near St. Hilaire where she will be employed two weeks.

Party Mrs. Louie Locken. A parcel shower was given in honor of Mrs. Louie Locken on Tuesday afternoon.

Guest was presented with many nice gifts from her friends. The self-invited guests served a luncheon. Those present were: Mrs. Odegard, Mrs. Thune, Carl Albert, Nels Nelson, Anton Johnson, Martin Peterson, William Gilbertson, Ole Odegard, Pete Nelson, Melvin Torkelson, Clarence Anderson, Ole Lian, Edvin Torkelson, at House, Ed. Anderson, Clarence Weekwerth, Miss Hazel Nelson, Mabel Matheson, Margaret Locken, Minnie and Anna Torvel, Stella Vigen, Augustus Mabel Torkelson, Geo. Albert, LaVerne Borgie and Pearl Nelson.

Mr. Andrew Arrie visited at the Ole Odegard home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandberg, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rose attended the funeral for Otto Schroeder on Wednesday at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Odegard, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Odegard of Thief River Falls visited Sunday evening at the Ole Odegard home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edvin Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Edvin Anderson Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edvin Anderson Sunday evening.

Miss Alice Ann Severson, teacher spent the week-end visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Severson at Thief River Falls.

BLACK RIVER
 Mr. and Mrs. John Stieger, Morris, Iowa, and Gertrude and Hazel Adolphson were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nelson of Edin.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Person, Arlene Polaris, Helen, Bobby and Mrs. Carl Anderson, Elaine and Jeanette, and Ed. Morn were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Swan Johnson.

Barnes Halmor of Thief River Falls was a Friday visitor at the Claus Adolphson home.

The following were Friday supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe King: Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Boebe, Mr. and Mrs. G. Lindquist, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter and Joan, Mr. and Mrs. Sig Vils, Helen, Bobby, Leonard and Stanley and Mrs. Christine Bakko.

Hilmer Adolphson is visiting at the home of his sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Halmor of Thief River Falls.

Mrs. N. E. Boebe and son, Wendell, Mrs. V. G. Brink and Mrs. Oscar Gunstad were Crookston callers on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter, Joan and Jacky were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lindquist.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lindquist were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Miss Matilde in Red Lake Falls.

Misses Bernice Anderson, Evelyn Gladstad, Grace Peterson, Ardis Mills, Gladys Bakken and Marian Erickson were Sunday callers on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Brink were Sunday callers on Friday.

Founded the Salvation Army in the United States was founded by William Booth in London in 1865, since which time it has been spreading its work in all parts of the world and its world wide mission work was begun in that year. It was established in the United States in 1872.

BRAY
 Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lindquist entertained the following young folks at their home Saturday evening: Clarence, Marvin, Con and Gladys Persch, Pearl Anderson, Harry Thayer and Clifford and Edna Lindquist.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bauer of Emerson, N. Dak., and Helmer Peterson of Kempton, N. Dak., were Monday guests at the Emil Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ann Lindquist and daughter of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnson of Goodhue were Sunday visitors at the Alfred Lindquist home.

Mr. John Viegut received the sad news Sunday that his mother passed away at Stockton, Kansas. He left Sunday morning to be present at her funeral. Also Mrs. W. H. Trower who has been visiting at the Viegut home.

Mrs. and Mrs. Elmer Hanson and family and Valora Volness of Thief River Falls were guests at the S. N. Olson home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Hegstad of Bemidji were guests at the L. Hegstad home Sunday. Mr. Hegstad accompanied them back and will visit a day at Bemidji and he will also visit relatives at Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Scholin, Mr. Maurice and Mrs. Scholin moved to Grand Forks Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Taxeraas and Stanley Rolland of Thief River Falls spent Sunday evening visiting at the Alfred Lindquist home.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hanson and Marlene of Hazel visited at the James Barnett home Sunday. Mr. Hanson remained for a few days at the Barnett home.

Charles Christianson, school teacher, was a Friday visitor at the Ole Odegard home.

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WINTER SHOWS TO OPEN NEXT TUESDAY

A full program of unusual interest has been arranged for the annual Winter Shows and Northwest School Farmers Week which open at Crookston next Tuesday, Feb. 6, and continue through Feb. 9. Speakers of national and state prominence will address the different meetings held in connection with the shows. The musical program will be of much interest since such organizations as the Northwest Singers; the Municipal Band of Crookston; a capella choir of 58 voices; the Ada High School; the University of North Dakota Band and many others will give concerts.

Arrangements are being made for an overflow meeting to hear Governor Harold E. Stassen on Wednesday evening, Feb. 7. Through the use of a public address system, arrangements will be made to seat 2500 people for the governor's address. Governor Stassen will be the honor guest at the Development Association banquet to be held the evening of Feb. 8, at which time Valley Farmer and Homeowner Awards for the thirteen Red River Valley counties will be made.

Programs for the shows have been arranged there will be no "best day," and something of more than usual interest will take place each and every day. Many people from this section are planning to spend one or more days at the shows.

RECEIVE PROMOTIONS
Two students from St. Hilaire who are attending Gustavus-Adolphus College, Fairbairn, recently received promotions on the Gustavus Weekly staff. They are Mary Jane Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Johnson, and Douglas Larson, son of Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Larson. Both are seniors and have been members of the staff before. Miss Johnson was promoted from her position as editor to rewrite editor and Mr. Larson was promoted to religious editor. They were both recently admitted to Alpha Phi Gamma, National honorary journalistic fraternity.

LOCKER ROOMS FINISHED
Rooms for the new cold storage locker system at the creamery will be fully completed by the end of this week. A shipment of refrigerating machinery and locker units is expected to arrive tomorrow. The plant will be fully completed and in operation before warm weather sets in.

P. P. TAX LIST OUT
The personal property tax list, one of the most widely read of all legal publications made by the county, appears in this issue. The list is complete for the entire county. Personal property taxes are now due and payable to the county treasurer before first of March. Only three firms doing business in St. Hilaire pay more than \$100, they being Larson Bros., Northern States Towing Company and H. H. Jackson. These lists should be filed away as they are valuable for comparison with those to be issued in the future.

Mr. Lewis, foreman on the school building project, returned Saturday to Lenguy and returned with his family. They have moved into the tenant house south of the C. Schanzner residence which was remodeled for their occupancy.

25 Years Ago

From 1915 Spectator Files
Knut Kolstad received word of the death of his brother, Pate, at their old home at Valder, Norway. Pate had resided here 25 years before returning to Norway.

O. F. Nelson opened a harness shop in the Forsen building.
Joe Edgington returned from Gilmore City, Iowa, with a cat, dog, or farm machinery, and horses to be used on his large farm west of the village.

Geo. L. Austin of Ferguson Falls, former butternaker at the local creamery, was renewing acquaintances and attending to business matters here this week.

Wheat brought \$1.59, flax \$1.73, oats \$4.8 and rye \$11.6 a bushel in local market this week.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wik are the happy parents of a son born Jan. 20.

The ice skating rink was flooded twice the past week, and the young folks are now getting much enjoyment on it.

A group of ladies spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Vern Lindquist at her home in rooms at the Cities Service station.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweet and daughter were here last week-end for a visit at the home of Mrs. Sweet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Brink.

The meeting of the St. Hilaire Women's Club will be held Thursday night, Feb. 15, at the club rooms. The January and February program committees will entertain.

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The next meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association will be held Friday night, Feb. 9.

A fair sized crowd attended the given Tuesday evening at the Do Drop Inn. "Tex" and his Broncho Busters furnished the music.

William Eugh is building a new house car, size 8x16, to be used by him for living quarters when engaged in wood cutting in nearby territory.

Ten additional WPA workers, some from Thief River Falls, others from the rural districts, were assigned to the local school project and started work this week.

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SMALL BOYS DROWNED
Lured out on the Red River at Grand Forks by open water at the end of a sewer outlet, two boys, both five years of age, fell in the opening and were drowned Monday. A similar occurrence happened at Fargo the same day, but in that case help came in time to prevent a drowning.

EASTER COMES EARLY
Next Wednesday, Feb. 7, marks the beginning of Lent this year. Since Easter in 1940 see the new locker room section the earliest it can, here are some interesting facts about Easter: March 24, 1940 is the earliest Easter since 1913 when it fell on March 23, and the earliest it will fall until 2008. Easter has not fallen on March 23, Easter has not fallen on the 24th of March since 1799 and will not again until 2013. The last time Easter was in March was 1947; the next time will be in 1948.

Hearing Is Held Friday on Bus Line Application for Restricting Service

No objections appeared at the hearing in the court house Friday conducted by the Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission on the application of the Tripartite transportation company for permission to discontinue service on the route between Warren and Benoit thru Thief River Falls, as well as the afternoon run between Thief River Falls and Crookston. The commission took the application under advisement and it is expected a decision will be announced within a week or ten days.

A meeting of the school board was held Tuesday afternoon to open and consider bids for certain materials to be used in construction of the new physical education building. Some of the offers were rejected, and some others were laid over to be considered this evening.

ANNUAL CREAMERY MEETING MONDAY

Annual meeting of stockholders of the St. Hilaire Creamery Association will be held at Jackson hall here next Monday starting at 1 P. M.

Officers for the ensuing year will be chosen, and other business of importance will be taken up. An inspection tour of the creamery will be made to see the new locker room section which is now ready with exception of the refrigerating machinery.

The creamery enjoyed a very successful year in 1939, bettering its record of the previous year, and starts 1940 with good prospects of having the largest output in its history. This creamery is one of the oldest co-operative creameries in northwestern Minnesota, having been in existence nearly forty years.

Following the meeting, stockholders and friends will be served lunch at the Norwegian Lutheran church parlors.

WILL HAVE QUILT FAIR

The Ladies Aid of the Community church, Thief River Falls, is sponsoring a Quilt Fair, Feb. 14, in the Civic and Commerce rooms of the Auditorium, the proceeds to go to the building fund of the church. Women of St. Hilaire and vicinity are invited to enter any quilts that have an interest to others in way of design, age or workmanship. No charge is made to enter, but entries should be made from 9 to 1:30 that day. The Fair will be open to the public from 9:00 until 5:00 p.m. Coffee will be served all afternoon and evening. A nominal admission fee will be charged. Women here are invited to see the display, and to have a pleasant visit with their neighbors on Feb. 14th.

ANNOUNCING

THIS WEEK'S PRIZE:

One bag Farmers Best Dairy Ration

The feed that brings results at a price that will surprise you.

Drawing will be held at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon.

COME.

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The creamery, organized and built by the people of this community because they saw a need for co-operative marketing of their farm products, can grow and prosper only in the same proportion as it is patronized by the people of the community. Work and boost for the creamery. The more you patronize it, the greater your profits will be.

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ONIONS.....	10 lbs. 13c
P. & C. SOAP, Large Bars.....	10 for 35c
IVORY SOAP, Large Bars.....	2 for 17c
HARDWARE COCOA SOAP.....	6 bars 23c
CLIMALENE, 25c size.....	18c
OXYDOL, 1 giant and a 10 cent size, both.....	62c
PITTED DATES.....	2 lbs. 23c
MOLASSES.....	6 lb. pails 22c
WALNUTS, extra large, soft shells, lb.....	14c
POWDERED SUGAR, Cane, the best.....	3 lbs. 24c
NASH COFFEE.....	1 lb. glass jar 28c
GARDEN SANDWICH SPREAD.....	1 pint 21c
PORK AND BEANS, 1-lb. cans.....	5 for 24c
SARDINES, Natural Oil.....	1-lb. tall 8c
LeGRANDE YELLOW CORN.....	3 cans 22c
STANBURY VEGETABLE SOUP.....	3 cans for 11c
BLUEBERRIES, 15-oz. cans.....	2 for 25c
BLUE PLUMS, No. 10 cans.....	53c
FRUIT MAID JAM, half gallon.....	52c
GEO. WASHINGTON TOBACCO.....	1 lb. can 57c
BROOMS, extra value at.....	25c
MATCHES.....	6 box carton 14c
BLOCK SALT.....	5 lbs. 43c
LEE CORDUROY PANTS, boys' sizes.....	\$1.19
BOYS' SWEATERS, size 34.....	50c
BOYS' SWEATERS, size 10 to 18.....	42c
BOYS' BLUE UNIFORMS, size 13 to 16.....	69c

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AT THE

Churches

Augustana Lutheran Church

Black River, Saturday 7:30 a. m.

Confirmation Class at Frank

Larson, Sunday 11 a. m. Service.

St. Hilaire, Tuesday, Feb. 26,

7:30 p. m. Bible Study and

Trayer.

Saturday, Feb. 26, 7:30 p. m.

Junior Missionary Society, 7:30

p. m. Service.

Note: Church rehearsal at the

Clara church Sunday 7:30 p. m.

St. Hilaire N. L. Church

J. L. Dahl, Pastor, Sunday,

Feb. 26, 11 a. m. American.

Wednesday school, Wednesday,

Aid Monday, Feb. 26.

Chlorwater 5 p. m. American.

Ev. Ministry Convention, Church

Roy N. Wiberg, Pastor, 4:10

St. Paul Ave.,

Thief River Falls, Minn.

This Thursday, Feb. 26, 8

P. M. Fellowship at the home

of Mr. and Mrs. Alex

Swanson. If you want to have

a visit at St. Hilaire be at

the church not later than 7:30

P. M.

Sunday, Feb. 26—2:30 P. M.

Worship and Sermon.

The Greatest Thing in the World.

Thursday, Feb. 22nd. Next

Young People's meeting. Work

co-operation and prayer. Wed-

nesday afternoon, Religious in-

struction.

BLACK RIVER

The following were Sunday

dinner guests at the home of

Mr. and Mrs. John Lundberg:

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson,

Mrs. B. L. Hauge, Mrs. W. J.

Janda, Marian, Jenny and

Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert

Swanson and family and Misses

Amanda, Edlund, and Wanda

Jacobson.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Larson

and daughters, Mr. and Mrs.

Hand Neumann, Lewis Larson

and Fred Larson were Sunday

visitors at the home of Mrs.

Peter Larson at Oske.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Erick-

son, Marie and Rudolph were

Friday evening visitors at the

home of Mr. and Mrs. Christ-

Person.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Larson and

family, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon

and Beila were Saturday eve-

ning visitors at the home of Mr.

and Mrs. Carl Pearson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson,

Elaine and Jeanette were Sun-

day evening visitors at the

home of Mrs. Swan Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lind-

quist and George were Sunday

evening visitors at the home of

Miss Edna Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Merritt

and family of Thief River Falls

and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mac-

MAZEL.
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Vilk of
Thief River Falls visited at the
Adrian Anderson home on Sun-

day. Mr. and Mrs. Ole Wedel and
children of Thief River Falls
spent Saturday visiting at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Wedel.

Quitting Party.
Mrs. Peter Nelson entertained
a group of ladies to a quitting
party on Tuesday afternoon. A
delicious lunch was served by
the hostess. Those present
were: Mrs. Martha Locken,

Mrs. Carl Albert, Mrs. Liv Fin-

stad, Mrs. Ole Lin, Mrs. Jean
Odegard, Mrs. Ole Odegard,
Mrs. Martin Ellingsen, Mrs.
Morrison Odegard, Mrs. Adrian

Andersson, Misses Eliza Hend-

rickson, Margaret Locken and
Mayne Anderson.

The annual creaming meet-

ing will be held Friday after-

noon, February 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sand-

berg and children were Satur-

day evening visitors at the Carl

Larson home.

Pete Gusten and Mrs. Al-

bert visited with the

former's sister, Mrs. Joe Car-

son, at the Oakland Park San-

atorium at Thief River Falls.

Mayne and Anna, who are

visiting at the Sagatorium on

Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegard

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS
Regular meeting held Jan. 3,
at the council room at 8 P. M.
All members present. The fol-

lowing committees were ap-

pointed for the ensuing year:

Road and Bridges: M. A.
Highland and K. Oigstad.
Finance: C. Schantzen and
Elmer Johnson.

Health Officer: Dr. O. F.
Melloy.

Sanitation Section: W. A. Cogh-

lin.

Official paper: The Spectator.

Daily fee for rent shows was

fixed at \$3.00. Labor and team

was set at \$15 per hour.

Salaries for all officers to re-

main as before. Motion made

and carried that no permits be

granted for Sunday dances.

Permission was granted to W.

A. Corbett to erect an ice house

on the village park property

along west river bank.

On motion meeting adjourn-

ed.

ELMER JOHNSON, Clerk.

O. Gunstad, Pres.

Regular meeting of the coun-

cil held Jan. 2, 1940 at County

council room at 8 P. M. All

members present. On motion

the following bills were allow-

ed:

B. Heston, Christmas

tree and bulbs, 7.85

G. G. Gistad, 6 mos. salary

Pennington Co., fence, 72.00

Elmer Johnson, salary, 28.95

Art Hanson, 6 mos. salary, 17.50

R. Collins, repair bill tower, 1.25

McKercher, saw ing, .50

W. H. Gistad, 6 mos. salary, 6.50

C. Heston, cleaning well, 4.70

W. H. Gistad, 6 mos. salary, 5.00

M. Highland, 6 mos. salary, 10.10

C. Schantzen, 6 mos. salary, 10.50

Elmer Johnson, salary, 28.95

U. S. Farm Sec. adj., 100.47

O. K. Olson, Judge of elec. repair, etc., 4.85

No further business, meeting adjourned.

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Pursuant to Chapter 392, Laws of 1917, I herewith publish the names, tax rates, of school districts, moneys and credits tax, and the total personal property tax for each person, firm or corporation of Pennington County, Minnesota.

These taxes become due January 1 and can be paid without penalty any time before March 1, 1940.

A. R. JOHNSRUD,

CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS
Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School Dist. No.	Cls. Rate in Mills 19
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State of Oregon, on Money and Credits	

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Name of Person	Personal	Money	Amount
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VILLAGE OF GOODHOPE
Total Tax Rate by School Districts
School Dist. No. 1 & 2 Rate is Mills 18.25
(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 cents
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TOWN WILMOTTE
Total Tax Rate by School Districts
School Dist. No. 1 & 2 Rate is Mills 18.25
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THAT TOLD FOR HER



Wife (thoughtfully)—Have you ever kept a promise?
Hubby—Yes, once, and I've been sorry ever since.

Another Creditor
"I must say," he continued, "that I own everything I have to my wife."
"Hey," shouted a tradesman at the back of the hall, "you're not forgetting my bill, are you?"—Paid attention, please.

Initiation
It was the first time she had played. As they approached the bag on the last row he suddenly pulled up.
"Level" he exclaimed. "Just look at a dead stream!"
The girl gazed about her. "I raise" or thought that was a funny thing to say.

Another One
A Scottish barman went into a paddock, there met a rabbit and was very much surprised.
"Why only one rabbit?" asked the barman.
"Because, you see, it's the only one of the kind to go out at night," said the rabbit.

Quite So
"You know in the spring of the big dinner last night, he never saw me," said the lady.
"He didn't see you?" asked the gentleman.
"No, he didn't see me," said the lady.



YOUNG PSYCHOLOGIST

As improver of the public library has just reported a conversation with the board of trustees, a progressive scholar was trying to explain the difference between an inferior complex and a superiority complex to his wife. "Lighten that complex," "Suppose," he said, "I stand you if you could jump ten feet and you said, 'Then you'd have a superiority complex. But if you said no, then you'd have an inferior complex.'"

Why Not "Crepe de Chine?"
A man and his wife decided to dine at a restaurant or cafeteria on Sunday. Recently some very delicious crepe de Chine pie was served to them. The next Sunday after church services Mrs. Green inquired:
"Where shall we eat today, John?"
"To be sure," answered her husband, "where shall we eat today, John?"
"Let's go where they have that good crepe de Chine pie."

LAUGHS AT HOME



"You go to many amusements these days, don't you?"
"No, I don't have to. My son's gone to waiting Oxford bags and crepe de Chine."

Five Year Plan
It was during the empanelling of a jury, the following colloquy occurred:
"You are a property holder?"
"Yes, your honor."
"Married or single?"
"I have been married for five years, your honor."
"How long married or expressed an opinion?"
"Not for five years, your honor."

Kept Out
"If time hangs heavily on your hands, why don't you go into politics?"
"A man as rich as I am," answered Mr. Martin, "doesn't dare go into politics. He is considered lucky if they let him above a cent under the door with a check attached to it."

Quick Thought
The nurse came into the library to read the good news. "It's a little boy," she announced.
"What?" asked the absent-minded professor. "Oh, yes, just ask him what he wants."

By Comparison
Dinner (after a long wait)—Walter, have you ever visited the zoo?
Walter—No, sir, I haven't.
Dinner—Well, you ought to—You wouldn't half enjoy watching the tortoise walk past.

SUN STROKE

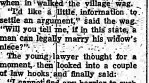


How did he get a sun-stroke?
"Jimmy Burdick" happened last night.
"Gracious!" exclaimed Mr. P. U. P.
"The baby has eaten a lot of sun-stroke!"
"Never mind," said a caller.
"Just say 'P. U. P.' to him. He's not a baby, he's a baby's brother."

Collegiate Speech
"Mother, the baby's brother has just driven home from college. Did you say 'P. U. P.' to him?"
"Yes, I did," said the mother.
"Well, he's not a baby, he's a baby's brother."

Small Affairs
A man and his wife were working in a field. The man was very tired.
"Why don't you go to bed?" asked the wife.
"I can't," said the man. "I have to go to bed."

THAT MEANS YES



He—What's your answer, dearie?
She—Well, I bobbed my head, didn't I?

Something Fancy
The tramp—Beg pardon, ma'am, but do you happen to have some pie or cake that you could spare an unfortunate wanderer?

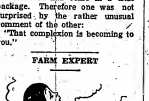
Lady of the House—No, I'm afraid not. Wouldn't some bread and butter do?
The tramp—As a general rule it would, ma'am, but you see, this is my anniversary.

Time to Retire

A special low offer had been made by a tire salesman, and Mr. Lee had made the remark that he thought it a good time to retire. His daughter Mary, who was studying, heard him and said:
"Oh, daddy, please don't do that; you are too young to quit work."

Flattery
Two young women had been amused by testing out several different shades of rouge and face powder that had come in a retail package. Therefore one was not surprised by the rather unusual comment of the other:
"That complexion is becoming to you."

FARM EXPERT



He—I suppose you think you understand all about the country since you've been here a week. Well, what is heaviest?
She—What that sells for a buck a bundle.

Brave Women
Dinner—I often think women are more courageous than men.
Charles—Yes! Where would you find a man brave enough to step in the middle of the street, pull out a suitcase and sit himself up before a crowd.

Credit
Bismarck—How does Jack Spindermoose manage to live in such fine style?
He gets credit everywhere.
Old—He pretends to be worried so much about his income tax that people think he must be terribly rich.

Somebody's Wrong
"You can't have it," said his mother. "Haven't I said 'No' six times already?"
"All right," murmured the angel child. "But I wonder where and how the idea that you're always changing your mind."

Book Proposal
Bismarck—So you related your book proposal to the publisher?
Bismarck—Yes, but it was all my own idea.
"What was the title?"
"The book was about the market was going down."

True to Form
I want to see that spiritualist last night.
"He was good," said the woman.
"Yes, he was," said the man. "He was a good man."

NOTHING DOING

All down the street he went without making a sale. He determined to try a new method. At the corner house, a grumpy woman answered the knock.
"Will you sell me, if it is this state, a new book?" asked the man.
"No," said the woman.
"Or a Robert Louis Stevenson?"
"No," said the woman.
"Or a Walter Scott?" continued the customer, hope dimming in his eyes.
"No," said the woman, sharply. "And what's more, I don't take in lodgers. Try next door, they do."—The Magazine.

TOOT, TOOT



"He's terribly conceited."
"Yes, he says that his ancestors' bones were used back in Bible times."

Fair Notice
A lady leaving home for a shopping expedition in town looked everything up and for the grocer's, butcher's, and milliner's, brought everything on a card. "All out. Don't have anything."
On her return home late that night she found her house ransacked and all her choicest possessions gone. "To be sure on the door was added: 'Thanks, we haven't left much.'"

Hard to Please

Danny, age six, came in from school anxious to tell mother the events of the day.
"You know, Mother, I didn't care much for the girl my teacher gave me for a pen pal. I didn't like her. I just didn't like her face. Now it's finally looked good to her, but it just didn't look good to me. You know, it just wasn't made the way I like faces to be made."—Indiana's News.

Expert

"Now, son," said father, kindly. "I've ever smoked when I was your age and I do hope you'll be able to say that to your son when you're grown up."
"Well, papa," said sonny. "Only not with such a straight face as you do."

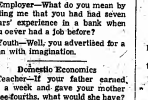
Before the Battle

Catty Gossip—Pardon me, but I noticed the dinner that your husband smokes his fine coffee loudly when he eats. Believe me, that's one thing my husband doesn't do.
Catty Hostess—No, I suppose not, dearie. I've tasted your cooking.

No Sale

"Before we married," he sighed, "you use to call me Long Distance just to hear my voice."
"Well," returned the husband, "now you won't let me get far enough away to use Long Distance."—Telephone Topics.

NOT IN THE BUDGET



Mrs. Newhall—Are you going to give me the money for the hat I owe you from the store?
Her Husband—Gwan! You won a hat not the price of one. I'll pick it out for you today.

Fancy

Employee—What do you mean by telling me that you had had seven years' experience in a bank when you never had a job before?
Youth—Well, you advertised for a man with imagination.

Domestic Economics

Teacher—If your father earned \$60 a week and gave your mother three-fourths, what would he have?
Tommy (confidently)—He'd fall out.—Sir's Magazine.

FRUIT



Beatrice—Am I the apple of your eye, Frank?
Frank—Naturally. You're more of a peach.

A GOOD START



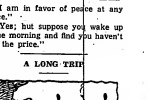
He (at midnight)—What was that noise? I gave me quite a start.
She—Please keep going then, Mr. Stiction. If I wake you again, I'll be glad to see you.

NEEDS TIME OFF



South Sea Island Wives—Don't you think I ought to have a day's rest?
Hubby—Sure thing—go sit in the sun!

AND SOME OF US DO



"I am in favor of peace at any price."
"Yes; but suppose you wake up some morning and find you haven't got the price."

A LONG TIRE



But—But why do you have to get up at three o'clock in the morning?
Shall—The children are going to school soon, and they have to be there at three o'clock.

TOO MILD



Mrs. Tripp—Do you think your husband's socks?
Mrs. Blip—Address them a little more profusely than that.

HEADS THE CLASH



Teacher—Many people believe, are spoken of in the Bible, children; which was the most innocent, do you think?
Billy Smart—Daniel, of course.

WINTER REMINDING



"How did you hurt your face?"
"I fell out of the car."

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ANNUAL CREAMERY MEET HELD MONDAY

More than sixty stockholders and a score of other interested persons were present at the annual meeting of stockholders of the St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery association which was held Monday afternoon at the Jackson hall. Report for 1939, as read at the meeting, shows the creamery had a very successful year. With installing new oil storage lockers and other facilities for convenience of its patrons, the creamery managers have every reason to believe and expect that 1940 will be one of the best years in the history of the association.

The entire meeting was a most harmonious one. That the stockholders were entirely satisfied with efforts being put forth by the association officers was evidenced when they were re-elected without opposition, to serve the coming year.

Following the meeting, all who attended were lunch served by the N. L. Aid at the church parlor.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of the village council held at the president's office Monday, February 5. All members present. Motion made and carried the following bills were allowed:

A. Rambeck, police 24.00
J. Neuman, sawing wood 1.25
M. Jackson, groceries 12.87
Ole Braum, 2 mos. sal. 37.00
Northern States Pr. Co., lights 10.00
There being no further business, meeting adjourned.
ELMER JOHNSON, Clerk.
O. Gustaf, President.

ABANDON TWO BUS LINES

The state railroad and warehouse commission last week granted permission to the Triangle Transportation company to discontinue the passenger bus line operated between Warren and Bemidji through Thief River, St. Hilaire and Red Lake Falls.

The commission also granted the company permission to abandon the bus leaving Crookston for their township, be station at 1:45 and Thief River sure someone is there to receive Falls at 4:45 P. M. in daily service. This project is of vice between the two towns on vital interest to every family in week days. This schedule will be continued on Sundays. Inefficient patronage to the above mentioned buses routes paying ventures, was reason given by the company in its application for permission to discontinue.

There will be no lack of bus service, however, as the Badette-Detroit Lakes and Thief River-Crookston, entirely separate from those mentioned above, will continue regular schedules.

THIS WEEK'S PRIZE:
100 lb. Bag Archer's Egg Mash.

TO BE GIVEN TO THE HOLDER OF WINNING
TICKET, ON FRIDAY, AT 2 O'CLOCK

Get in on this deal now; REMEMBER, each ticket is also worth one baby chick, plus a chance to win 100 Wing Banded Chick. This Grand Prize to be given May 15th, 1940.

TRADE NOW where you get the BEST in values and service.

TRADE AND SAVE at the
MATH BARZEN CO., Inc.

St. Hilaire

P. T. A. MEETS FRIDAY

Regular monthly meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association will be held at the school assembly Friday night this week. The following program will be presented:

Paper on Founders Day
Mrs. W. J. Janda
Instrumental number.
Battle of Wits
Jacksons vs. Jensen
Singing - Borgia Sisters
Twisting Your Horse Sense
Marvin Olmstead

BARZEN COMPANY HAS BIG FIRE LOSS

The Math Barzen Elevator Company of Thief River Falls, with branches at Goodridge, St. Hilaire and Hazel, suffered a heavy fire loss Friday morning when their elevator and seed cleaning plant at Thief River was destroyed. The fire started in the elevator and spread to the seed cleaning plant. The company is now rebuilding the plant and the elevator. The company is now rebuilding the plant and the elevator.

The loss will be especially heavy as the elevator building contained many thousands of bushels of different kinds of grain intended to supply seed grade of the company the coming spring. All the expensive seed cleaning machinery, some of it recently installed, is a total loss. Some seed that had already gone through the cleaning process, was taken out before fire and water damaged it.

The burned building was one of the best in this part of the state. Estimated of the loss is placed at around \$200,000, which is partially covered by insurance.

PLAN WOMAN'S PROJECT

The home chairman from each township will meet at 10:30 A. M. Thursday, February 15, in the courtroom of the courthouse to plan the organization for feeding the Family Project. If you haven't a home abandon the bus leaving Crookston for their township, be station at 1:45 and Thief River sure someone is there to receive Falls at 4:45 P. M. in daily service. This project is of vice between the two towns on vital interest to every family in week days. This schedule will be continued on Sundays. Inefficient patronage to the above mentioned buses routes paying ventures, was reason given by the company in its application for permission to discontinue.

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Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Held in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Regular monthly meeting of the village council, was held Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Larson moved Sunday to Crookston and spent the day with relatives. Mrs. J. A. Hanson entertained a group of friends at her home Thursday afternoon.

The next meeting of the village council will be held next Tuesday night, Feb. 13th. Miss A. Flammé returned Monday after spending three months at the home of her sister in Rochester, Minn.

John Forseen, who was taken to a hospital at Thief River Falls two weeks ago, has shown little or no improvement since.

The N. L. Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Knute Kofoid, Mrs. S. Olness and Mrs. Bertha Johnson at the church parlors, Friday, Feb. 16.

A two-inch snowfall over the area within the past week, has given the county snow removal equipment its first tryout for that purpose this winter.

H. R. Allen, local dairyman, recently purchased a registered Guernsey sire from Mr. H. C. Woolson of Thief River Falls. This animal is a Darker of Silverton 28997.

Guests Monday afternoon at the Emil Just home were Mrs. George Hanson, Mrs. Roy Rasmussen, Mrs. W. P. Wilson and Mrs. R. McKerscher. A very pleasant afternoon was spent.

Tom Groven, accompanied by Casper Iverson and Hilmer Nelson, motored Tuesday to Bagley. While there, Mr. Groven got prices on lumber for a building he plans to erect the coming spring.

Among the exhibitors from here showing farm products at the Winter Shows at Crookston this week are Horace Dalager, R. T. Dalager, Ed. F. Dalager and Albert Nelson, and Carl G. Larson of Hazel.

A young autist from Detroit Lakes, accompanied by several friends, arrived here Sunday afternoon when a group of friends of Mrs. Emil Just dropped in unexpectedly. A very pleasant afternoon was spent and Mrs. Just was presented a number of appropriate "tokens" of remembrance. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Sever Skolden, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hartzel, Mr. and Mrs. W. Ewing and son, Phil. Lunch was served by the guests.

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All community and county committees working on the Agricultural Conservation Program will meet in the Civic and Commerce Association room on Wednesday, February 14, to discuss procedure for sign-up meetings for the 1940 program. Following this meeting committees will have sign-up meetings in their own townships. At that time each farmer will be able to decide whether he wants to stay with the program or give it up.

RETEST STARTS MONDAY

Word was received by Howard E. Grow County Agent, from the State Livestock Sanitary Board that a retest will be made of all infected and suspect herds of cattle for the tuberculosis test in Pennington County starting Monday, February 12.

Farmers having suspect of infected herds should cooperate with the veterinarian so that this work may be completed in the shortest possible time.

25 Years Ago

Items from Spectator of 1915 The annual masquerade given by the fire department was attended by one of the largest crowds that ever attended such an event in St. Hilaire.

Pete Burstad was erecting a warehouse and office south of the hotel with intention of engaging in the farm machinery business.

The mercury rose to 45 above zero for several days that week. The whole month of February was unusually mild that year.

Theo. Benson was up and about after being confined to bed about two weeks by illness.

Mrs. Nettie Lang and L. Rose returned to Grand Fork after visiting a few days at the J. A. Ambie home.

An auto crash occurred in the bend of T. H. No. 22 just north of the village early Tuesday morning. A salesman from Crookston crashed into the rear end of a car driven by a farmer residing northward of here. The salesman, travelling at a high rate of speed, thought the car ahead was turning off the highway and when it continued on, was unable to check speed and avoid the crash. Both cars were badly damaged.

Oliver Haugen and a friend left Monday for Phoenix, Ariz., to spend the balance of the winter. They travelled by car, planning to make the trip in easy stages.

At a meeting of the school board last week, bids for certain materials for the new building were raised because of being considerably higher than estimated cost.

The local high school first basketball team lost to Olklee in their game played there last Friday night. The second team, playing a similar team from the Olklee school, won their game.

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PETIT JURY LIST DRAWN LAST WEEK

A petit jury panel of 24 men and six women was drawn Wednesday afternoon in the office of Adair Eklund, clerk of court. They are being summoned to appear for duty Monday, March 4, while the Pennington county term of district court will convene the preceding Monday, February 26.

Those summoned from Thief River Falls include Ludwig Strand, Jack Fulton, Algot Granum, Mrs. H. O. Chomnie, Robert Peterson, Ames Peterson, Hugh Cochran and Heimer Ostrom.

Drawn from other sections of the county are John Sundquist, Mrs. Peter Lovely and Mrs. Owen Olson, Goodridge; James Knudson and Halvor Pedstad, Silverton; Otto Magnell, Mayfield; Carl Mathson and John Randolf, Rockville; Emil Leppesgaard, Norden; C. M. Ward, Thief River Falls; Emil Sanders and Charles Svendsen, Gower; Mrs. Gustavson, Thief River Falls; W. Wiland; Mrs. Iver Jensen, Highland; J. O. Peterson, Wykoff; Mrs. Freeman Allen, Smiley; and Ludwig Luttmer, Bray.

SEVERAL BUNYAN CARNIVAL Several people from this locality are planning to attend the Paul Bunyan carnival which starts today at Bemidji and continues to and including Sunday. This great winter sports event attracts people from all parts of the state as well as more distant places. The program this year will be bigger and better than ever before, and Bemidji has made elaborate plans to show everyone of its thousands of expected guests, a royal time.

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St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery Association
St. Hilaire, Minn.

TWO DANCES

DO DROP INN
St. Hilaire

Saturday, Feb. 10th
Music by Bill's Note
Busters

Tuesday, Feb. 13th
Novelty Dance with
door prize given free
Music by "Tex" and his
Broncho Busters
Adm. to either dance 25c

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IRITES TODAY FOR

JOHN W. FORSEEN

John W. Forseen, well known resident of this village for over forty years, died Monday morning at a Thief River Falls hospital where he had been a patient since January 28th.

Mr. Forseen was born in April, 1864 in Sweden where he grew to manhood and was employed at timber work, and also learned his trade as shoemaker. He emigrated to this country in 1892, settling at Hallowell where he remained a few years before coming to St. Hilaire in or about 1897. For the past forty years he had operated a shoe repair shop here.

He was united in marriage to Mrs. Martha Kolstad on July 7, 1908. She preceded him in death a few years ago.

During his time of residence in St. Hilaire, Mr. Forseen was village marshal, custodian of the village property, and had other village work in addition to his trade. A quiet, retiring man, Mr. Forseen was liked and respected by all who knew him.

Funeral services were conducted today at the Ev. Mission Covenant church with Rev. Roy Wiborg officiating. Burial was in the cemetery east of the village.

Insofar as is known, Mr. Forseen had no relatives in this country, but had brothers and sisters in Sweden. Survivors here are his grandchildren: Henry Kolstad of Albert Lea; Oscar Kolstad of Duluth; Mrs. Lawrence Wilson of Warren, and Mrs. H. P. Lund of Ortonville.

H. P. LUND IS DEAD
Hans P. Lund, founder of the H. P. Lund and Sons, highway construction company at Thief River Falls, died at a hospital in that city last Wednesday at the age of years. Mr. Lund was widely known throughout this section of the state. Funeral services were conducted Monday at the Mission Covenant church at Thief River, and final rites and interment took place at Bethany church near Mr. Lund's former home north of Okie, Mo. He is survived by his widow, four sons, one daughter, and eleven grandchildren.

DRAMA HERE FEB. 21
"Death Takes the Steering Wheel," the latest drama written showing the sure results of drink; a reproduction of an actual court trial of a drunken automobile driver, will be presented by a cast of 22 characters at the local Norwegian Lutheran church Wednesday evening, Feb. 21. With one exception, all members of the cast as well as the jury will be composed of local people. Admission will be free. An offering will be taken to help defray necessary expenses.

POSTPONE PROJECT MEETING
The meeting for all towns' chairman of the Women's Home Project, was postponed this week because Miss Holbert, the specialist from University Farm who was to conduct the meeting had the misfortune of fracturing her ankle. The State Home Demonstration leader is arranging another meeting and all chairman will be notified of the new meeting date, states Howard B. Grow, county agent, under whose sponsorship the project is organized.

The district basketball tournament will be held next month at Thief River Falls. In drawing, St. Hilaire was paired with Fisher for the preliminary game.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sherry and son motored here Sunday from a party and spent the day with Mr. Sherry's mother, Mrs. Mary Sherry at Hallowell.

BIG CREW AT SCHOOL

Twenty-one men are engaged in work on the new physical education building at the school ground. A good share of the basement excavation work is completed, and as soon as lumber arrives construction of basement forms will be started. Another crew has been sent out to the gravel pit west of town to screen gravel in readiness for hauling. It is expected the basement will be finished and indosed by first of April.

TREE PLANTING MEETING

Considerable publicity has been given to the tree planting practice in connection with the Agricultural Conservation Program for 1940. In spite of all the information available on this subject, Howard E. Grow, county agent, says that there still is a great deal of misunderstanding pertaining to the program. To clear up these things, Mr. Grow has arranged to hold a meeting in the court-house in connection with the tree planting program, Friday, February 15, at 1:30 P. M. with Parker O. Anderson, Extension Forester from University Farm as the speaker.

Mr. Anderson will discuss the type of windbreak to plant, varieties of trees that can be recommended, and practices, along with the provisions of the special tree planting program. Farmers can earn \$30.00 in the 1940 Agricultural Conservation Program.

Pennington Board Calls

for Bids on Four Grading Projects for March 12th

The Pennington county board at its February session called for bids to be opened Tuesday, March 12, at 10 a.m. at the county seat. Bids included are 5.3 miles on the north line of the county, two miles on C&N 24 in Star township, and three miles on C&N 24 in Star township. Plans and specifications may be examined at the office of the county engineer, W. M. Senstad or Highway Engineer J. A. Erickson.

BLACK RIVER

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Swanson on Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Nick Schatz, Vevae, Beverly, Virginia, Virgil and Don, Owen, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Peterson and Muriel, and Mrs. Christ and family, Shiloh, Darnie and Hazel, Bill and Hilding Adolphson.

Miss Nelsa Lobdell of Blackduck is now visiting at the home of Mrs. Tills Severe.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Erickson were Saturday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lindquist.

Hazel and Hilding Adolphson visited on Monday at the home of their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Avid Hainner.

Miss Ione Helm of Red Lake Falls visited on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lindquist.

Amy and Nellie Jagoel were guests on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Swan Johnson.

A group of young folks were entertained Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Erickson. The evening was spent in playing games and eating. The hostess served a bountiful lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Larson and family visited Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Landman.

At the Cross Roads



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Another dance was given Tuesday night at the Do Drop Inn.

Unusually mild weather for this time of the year prevailed all over this section of the state the past week.

An interesting program was given at this month's meeting of the PTA held at the school assembly last Friday night.

W. A. Corbett has received some unexpected news, and plans to have his ice cutting crew at work again soon.

Today is the final day of winter. Minnesota auto owners may apply for 1940 license plates without payment of penalty.

Arrangements are being made for installing electric lights at the local G. N. station for convenience of patrons as well as the station agent.

Arvid Dahlstrom, Joe Michael, Victor Brink and August Berglund motored Sunday to Bemidji to attend the Paul Bunyan winter carnival.

Henry Kolstad of Albert Lea, Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Age of Otterville, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wilson and daughter of Warren were here Monday following a visit with their stepfather, John Forseen, at a Thief River hospital. The latter died shortly after their arrival.

BEVERLY DURBAHN OF POLK CO. 1ST IN R. V. SPELLDOWN

Pictures if you find people watching and fondling each other's heads, you are watching a good thing. Beverly Durbahn, a young woman of Otterville, is the first in the R. V. Valley championship spelling contest today, held Friday in connection with the Red River Valley Winter Shows at Crookston.

Twelve new girls, Doreen Dahn, Angus, Polk county, won the contest, and the cup and banner awarded by the Red River Valley Development Association for the event, her first championship. Beverly likes to ride a Swedish pony and is in the eighth grade. Second was Ruth Meyer, of the Otterville community, a high school senior, and third was Doris Davis, Chasler county.

The contest started in the morning, and continued on into the afternoon under the direction of a special superintendent's committee. At spell down, the girls were used as a basis for selecting winners. Free trips to the event were provided, country winners by the Development Association.

Other counties entered were: Wilkin, Herman, Mahomed, Becker, Ottertail, Kittson, Red Lake and Pennington.

STORAGE LOCKERS HERE

The new cold storage lockers and new refrigeration equipment for installation at the creamery came Monday and Tuesday. Workers are now busy engaged in getting the new plant installed. It is expected the locker system will be ready for operation in about two weeks. All the new equipment is the latest type available, and will make a fine addition to the creamery.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. J. P. Fellman was badly bruised when struck by a freight train as she walked across the tracks north of town. Afflicted with deafness, she did not hear the approach of the train.

H. B. Borneman, former-station agent here, and then connected with a bank at Hallowell, was here calling on friends.

Edith Nelson went to Ogema to visit Miss Selma Hoff, teacher at the White Earth Agency school.

Axel Kolhonen returned after an extended visit to his former home at Beristad, S. Dak.

Joe Edgington left a contract for building on a fine residence on his farm a mile west of the village.

Whent was \$136 and rake brought \$1.07 in the local market.

DECLAM CONTEST MONDAY

A local declamation contest will be held at the school next Monday evening starting at 8:00 to select contestants to represent the St. Hilaire at the district contest to be held next month. A small admission fee will be charged Monday night to help defray expenses. Everyone welcome.

The school basketball team, first and second, motored Saturday night to Alvarado to play similar school teams of that village. The first team lost, while the hard fighting second team won their game. The team plays Goodridge there Friday night this week.

Friends here recently received word of the death of M. J. Lindahl, which occurred March 13, 1939 at his home at Woodburn, Ore. Before going to Oregon about twenty five years ago, Mr. Lindahl was engaged in the jewelry business in St. Hilaire, and will be recalled by those who resided here at that time.

HOT PANTS FOR BARBER

DOWN AT OTTERVILLE
Otterville—A. D. Siles, Big Stone City barber, found things pretty hot a few days ago in his shop—in fact so hot, he pants burned him. It seems the floor of his shop suddenly burst into flames—presumably from a tumbled oil can. After making an attempt to get out the fire he decided to run across the street and call the fire department. When he got into the street he found his pants were on fire. Before it could be put out he received burns on both legs. The fire department extinguished the flames before too much damage occurred. He was able to get dressed in the shop and quick treatment to the burns prevented serious results.

Glaicr Priest Heard by

Big Crowd at Crookston
The capacity of the Crookston Agency was not sufficient to hold all those who wished to hear the address of the Rev. Bernhard S. Glaicr, S. J. The Glaicr priest, in the closing address of the Winter Youth Program held at Crookston, drew the largest audience left the Agency since the opening of the winter and more complete picture of Alaska, its people, its resources, and its governmental character, than could have been gained elsewhere in much more time. The illustrated lecture of the Glaicr Priest required.

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BLIZZARD STRIKES EASTERN SEABOARD

A blinding blizzard, the most severe of recent years, raged in the area in and around New York City yesterday disrupting traffic, breaching down communication lines, and causing untold suffering as scores of people were stranded for such an emergency. Rail traffic was halted, and all airplane schedules in the territory were cancelled. It is estimated that from seven to ten inches of snow fell.

During course of the storm, police were kept busy assisting motorists stranded by the unprecedented snowfall, and hundreds of accidents occurred as result of poor visibility and icy roads.

As rivers had already begun to break open in the blizzard area, it is feared that heavy snowfall would produce flood conditions to add to the suffering and discomfort brought by the sub-zero temperatures.

EVEN WHIST SERIES

The Red team won the sixth game of the whist tournament Tuesday night this week. This makes three games for each team so far in the series. The next meeting will be held Wednesday night, Feb. 28. Change in night of meeting is made because a series of dances are scheduled for Tuesday nights. Forty players participated in the games Tuesday night.

Lundberg-Ranum

Last Saturday at the local Norwegian Lutheran parsonage occurred the marriage of Stanley Ranum of Rosewood to Miss Ella Lundberg of Thief River Falls. Rev. M. L. Dable performed the ceremony; and witnesses were Mr. and Mrs. H. Ranum of Rosewood.

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Strange Facts
Globe-Circling Birds
Utilizing 'Fast Heat'
A Powerful Fuel

Ornithologists and seamen have good reasons to believe that most shorebirds fly around the world several times during the course of their lives. Incidentally, these great birds, which can be hunted for days by ocean palces, become very seasick when standing on the deck of a moving ship.

In a new South Dakota flour mill, the heat generated by friction in the grinding machine is so great that the heated air it creates, drawn off by a fan and washed, is sufficient to heat the entire flour building, except in very cold weather.

In most outboard motorboat races, the fuel used is a mixture of alcohol, benzol and castor oil, because it is more powerful than any high-test gasoline—Cottler's.

Largest Open-Air Theater

The Roman theater at Vienna, France, is said to be the largest open-air theater in the world. Built some 2,000 years ago, it was unknown to the present generation until a railroad wreck dislodged some earth and revealed the upper tier of seats. Archaeologists excavated and the ancient theater was uncovered.

It has now been restored and has a seating capacity of 9,000 spectators.

OLD FOLKS

How to Amuse Old Folks
Old folks are a special class. They are not to be treated as children, but as adults. They are not to be treated as children, but as adults. They are not to be treated as children, but as adults.

Fair Words
He who gives you fair words feeds you with an empty spoon.

HOW ARE YOUR NERVES?

Cherry's Nerve Tonic! This is the only medicine that will cure all the ills of the nervous system. It is the only medicine that will cure all the ills of the nervous system. It is the only medicine that will cure all the ills of the nervous system.

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Watch Your Kidneys

How to Keep the Blood of the Human Body Pure
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Ask Me Another
A General Quiz

The Questions

1. What American statesman was the grandson of a king?
2. To antagonize the same as a mukkenf?
3. What causes an aster in a desert?
4. When was the first depression in the United States?
5. At what period of life does one grow fastest?
6. Who wrote the famous "Unfinished Symphony"—Bach, Schubert or Beethoven?
7. What is the capacity of the human stomach?

The Answers

1. Charles Bonaparte, who was in Theodore Roosevelt's cabinet.
2. The cantaloupe is one variety of muskmelon.
3. Springs rising from natural carbonate streams generally cause aster.
4. The first so-called depression in the United States occurred in 1793 and lasted until 1795.
5. During the first five years of life.
6. Schubert.
7. Normally from four to five pints.

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in the news...

A Syracuse (N. Y.) university student, celebrating the birth of a second son, finding the pronoun "I" used one every 100 words by Adolf Hitler, once every 81 by Benito Mussolini.

Roosevelt, once every 248 words by Neville Chamberlain.

The senate approved President Roosevelt's nominations of Marston Bates as federal reserve bank chairman, and Chester Davis as a director.

At Detroit, it was reported Archbishop Mooney had warned Rev. Charles J. Coughlin, traffic director, against controversial broadcasts on radio.

At the Vatican it was admitted the development of a new airplane.

At Cairo, the Egyptian government, according to Queen Farida, is expecting the birth of a second child late in March.

Dr. President Herbert Hoover, addressing Chicago Jewry, pictured the nation as "a mosaic of 100,000,000 different and divergent groups."

Germany-owned shipyards at Istanbul.

Did this give the President an idea?

INTERNATIONAL
Mounting Trouble

New war threats were spreading fast from the Franklin Roosevelt axis.

The situation was especially acute in the Balkans and the Near East. Turkey had seized the German-owned Karpat shipyards at Istanbul.

There seemed a general drift to this agitation. Even Italy, long enemy of Turkey, was now framing a trade pact with Turkey.

Within a few days reactions began trickling in from Europe. Most nations were "interested," France even expected Adolf Hitler to postpone his scheduled western front offensive until after Peacekeeper.

Willis has come and gone.

The Wars

North Front. United Press Webb Miller said the Finnish front for the first time in more than two years, sending an unbroken patch from Stockholm. High points:

(1) Russia's Karelian Isthmus at last lagging down; (2) plant foreign planes arriving in large numbers to aid the Finns; (3) Finland's reaction to the Russian front.

Western Front. French frontier troops bombarded the Germans with high-powered blasting propellants.

CONGRESS:

New Taxes?

First evidence to the President was the first evidence of congress reaction, an emergency national defense bill from which had been lopped about \$20,000,000. Of six appropriations measures handled thus far, a total of \$20,000,000 had been lopped from the billion-dollar naval expansion program.

But it was the same old story of house slanders and senate retort.

The independent offices bill was passed by the senate after retreating \$20,000,000 deducted by the House.

For senate addition agitation grew. The House by the same token, by the same token, by the same token.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. LABINE

Roosevelt Peace Bid May Delay Spread of European Conflict; Near Eastern Crisis Continues

EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.

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By Virginia Vale

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TELEPHONE SYSTEMS CHANGE OWNERSHIP

In a deal made this week, the St. Hilaire Telephone Company and the Red Lake Falls Telephone system, both operated by Mrs. Pearl Kundert since death of her husband, Chas. Kundert, a few years ago, was sold to the Garden Valley Telephone Company which operates exchanges at Plummer, Erskine, Brooks, Winger, McIntosh, Okie, Gonvik and other towns in the territory southeast of here.

The Garden Valley company has a vast network of rural lines extending from Gentry, east of Crookston and west into Clearwater county. It is one of the largest independent telephone concerns operating in this state. No information is available as to any changes that may be contemplated by the new owners.

COURT TERM OPENED

Winter term of district court in this county opened Monday at Thief River Falls with Judge M. A. Brattland presiding. This week is occupied with hearing of court cases, and the petty jury has been called for next Monday, March 4. On the calendar are thirteen new actions in addition to five old cases. These, together with criminal actions are expected to occupy time of the court for about two weeks.

FLOODS IN CALIFORNIA

Flood waters from the Sacramento river flooded several towns and caused much damage in northern California this week. Heavy rains for four days, and rapidly melting snow caused flood conditions in other sections of the state also causing much damage to highways, bridges, farm lands and town property. A 75-mile gale followed by a cloudburst swept over the San Francisco-Berkeley area disrupting wire communications and causing other heavy loss.

25 Years Ago

From 1915 Spectator Files
The creamery board was debating whether or not to add a cheese making department to the creamery.

Work was started on the new bridge to span the county ditch south of the village.

Roseau, Badger, Greenbush and Brooks voted "dry" at their annual spring elections.

Spring weather was in evidence, all snow having disappeared here.

Mrs. Bydal, who made her home with her brother, Ed. Ansel, left to visit friends at Pinecrest.

Mrs. Carl Krueger returned to her home at Red Lake Falls after having spent a week here.

PLAY GOODRIDGE, MAR. 6

The final game for St. Hilaire high school captures before playing in the tourney at Thief River will be at Goodridge, Wednesday, March 6. Each team has won and lost one, so this should be a real contest for honors. Anyone planning to go are asked to buy tickets at the school here, thereby helping the local team. The second string team, the Bearcats, is going along also to take on the second Goodridge team for the preliminary game at 7:15.

FARMS PICKED FOR PHOSPHATE TESTS

Ten farms were selected from twenty-eight applications for the phosphate test demonstration farms in ten townships in Hennepin County at the organization of the association last Friday at Thief River Falls. Elvin L. Swanson was elected president, and Anton W. H. Jensen and Anton J. Jensen were chosen as vice-president and secretary-treasurer respectively of the association.

The directors of the association and the cooperating farmers attended the educational meeting at Thief River Falls, which discussed the entire project with them. The application of fertilizer, checking results, and keeping of records, were discussed in detail. The test farms have been recommended as demonstration farms and the township in which they are located are Crookston, Brook, Black River, Hamak, Lehnstein, Bray, Hill Oak, Deer Park, Randolph, Kunkum, Goodrich, Alf, Jordan, Kratoch, John L. Wolf, North, H. L. Fossad, Rochester, Kustian, Brant, Silverton, Alvin, Herring, Star, and Hart, A. Hansen, Wagoner.

DECLAMATION CONTEST SATURDAY

Plans have been completed for a declamation contest to be held Saturday at Crookston in which twenty-four northwestern Minnesota schools will compete. Schools sending contestants are Warren, Thief River Falls, St. Hilaire, Red Lake Falls, Plummer, Oak, Plaster, Goodridge, Climax, Alvarado, East Grand Forks and Crookston. Judges for the contest will be A. C. Clark, Dr. Philip Sauer and Ed. Burns, all of the Bemidji State Teachers College. Competition will be in four divisions and each school will be entitled to two entries in each division.

State Fair Sale Nets Large Sum for Feltz

The largest sale of confiscated and trapped furs for sale by the division of game and fish of the state department of conservation, last week brought a total of \$23,573.46 for 19,024 pelts. In the lot were 18,740 muskrat pelts which sold for \$23,259.52; 45 beaver for \$24,464.10; 4,077 40 raccoons, \$179; 21 badger, \$42; 30 deer, \$25; 1 red fox, \$25; 8 grey fox, \$14.50; 1 bobcat, \$2; 2 deer skins, \$1.25.

The unusually large number of muskrat pelts on sale at this time resulted from the necessity of trapping them because of low water conditions in the southern part of the state where many of the muskrat marshes either had dried up or frozen solid, according to game and fish officials.

Spring is in the Air



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Another two inches of light snow fell today over this section.

Regular meeting of the B. M. Club was held Monday night following the session, lunch was served at the Redwood Inn.

A young man from Alvarado was here yesterday looking over the village with intention of starting a shoe and harness repair shop.

A crew of men is at work in the Oldest gravel pit west of the village, excavating for gravel and sand for use at the school addition.

Members of the birthday club together with other guests, met at the Roche home Saturday to help Mrs. Beebe celebrate her birthday anniversary.

All light and power bills should be in this office not later than 4:00 P. M. Friday to allow time to make up the account which must be in the mail that day.

Mrs. and Mr. Adolph Satterberg, accompanied by Mrs. Henry Burstad and Mrs. Herman Burstad were at Minneapolis last week to visit at the G. L. Fellman home.

Lumber for the new school addition was shipped this week from Portland, Ore., and work was on the job hope it will reach here early next week so there will be no shut-down for lack of material.

Mrs. and Mr. Norman Olsen and son motored here yesterday from Leonard to visit with his parents here and with Mrs. Olsen's relatives at Thief River Falls. Today Mr. Olsen attended the Laid O'Leary district meeting at Thief River Falls, reported that Leonard creamery of which he is manager.

Today is the final day for payment of personal property taxes with cash.

The Junior Mission Society will meet at the Elmer Carlson home Saturday, March 9, at 2:00 P. M.

Harry Linn plans to erect poultry houses on his place south end of the village as soon as frost goes out of the ground.

Robert Collins is nursing a sore hand caused by getting his left hand in contact with a planing machine at his work shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweet motored here Saturday evening from Eldred and spent until Sunday evening at the V. G. Brink home.

A number of people from this village and vicinity attended the ski tournament held Sunday at the new slide at Red Lake Falls.

Supt. Cash Carter of the Northern States Power Company plant at Red Lake Falls was here Monday attending to business affairs for the company.

Four inches of snow, the first of any amount this winter, fell over northwestern part of the state Monday. State and county snow plows have since cleared all highways and secondary roads and motor traffic continues as usual.

R. F. Bridgeman, age 49, president of Bridgeman Creameries, Inc., owners of property from Eldred and south of Crookston, Thief River Falls and here, died yesterday at Minneapolis where he and family had resided for two years since leaving this section. Mr. Bridgeman was widely known through northwestern Minnesota and North Dakota where he had extensive holdings.

DISTRICT CREAMERY MEET

Annual meeting of District 17, Land O'Lakes Creameries, was held at Thief River Falls today. Creamery operators and creamery patrons from the wide area comprising this district were present to take in the business sessions and to hear John Brandt, president of Land O'Lakes Creameries, Inc. The musical program was given following the noon lunch at the auditorium.

WIN AT PLUMMER

Playing at Plummer last Friday evening the St. Hilaire "B" team kept up its good record by taking its fourth consecutive victory. First starting to play in first part of February, the "B" team has won all its games playing Okie, Alvarado, Goodridge and Plummer. The team are Wallace Swanson, Roy Krato, Donald Erickson, Harlan Olson and Russell Walworth. It scores at Plummer was close, 11 for St. Hilaire, Plummer 10.

The Regulars took Plummer V. G. Brink was appointed secretary of the meeting, association members and friends were served lunch by the Ladies' Aid at the Larson Bros. store.

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P. T. A. MARCH 8TH
Next meeting of the St. Hilaire PTA will be held Friday evening March 8th, with the program as follows:

America
Piano solo Mrs. Hamilton
P. T. A. Topic Mrs. Winter
Vocal Solo H. M. Hiltbrand
Declaration Hazel Haglund
Two numbers by the Glee Club
Selection by the Junior Mission Band.

Declaration. Doreas Rothman instrumental - Band members

Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Rosette motored here last week from Balaton to spend several days with their relatives east and west of the village. They have farmed in the vicinity of Balaton the past year.

We pay \$1.00 per head for dead or disabled horses and cattle with good hides on. We pick up cows, calves, hogs and sheep promptly and free of charge. Call our nearest dealer. Animal Service, Phone 153. Red Lake Falls Rendering Company, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

STOCK SHIPPERS IN ANNUAL MEETING

Members of the St. Hilaire Livestock Shipping Association met here Monday for their annual meeting and election of officers. The report of business done in 1939 was very encouraging, and shows an increase over previous years. A matter brought up for discussion was that of rail shipments of livestock. While the volume does not always permit shipments by rail, due to minimum weights required, the association members expressed themselves as favoring rail shipments whenever conditions were available. The matter of having a local stock yard was discussed, and some action in that connection will likely be taken by the board the coming spring.

HALVOR HANSON DIES

Halvor Hanson, age 79, well known and highly respected pioneer of Bray township, died yesterday morning (at a Thief River hospital after a short illness, of pneumonia. Mr. Hanson was one of the very early settlers in Bray and resided there until his retirement from farming some years ago. He is survived by four sons and two daughters, Henry, George, Elmer and Arthur Hanson, all in or near Thief River Falls; Mrs. Selmer Olson of Bray, and Mrs. Walter Olson of this village. His wife and two sons had preceded him in death. Unless change is made necessary later, funeral services will be held Tuesday at Oakridge cemetery south of that town, at 2 o'clock. Members of the family are buried.

FINISH LOCKER PLANT

Finishing touches are being put on the new cold storage locker plant at the creamery this week, and the plant will be in operation some time next week. The refrigerating machinery is all installed, and the locker compartments are now being set up. The plant is the latest type procurable.

Mrs. G. I. Fellman of Minneapolis underwent a serious operation Monday at the Ashery hospital in that city. Word received yesterday by her brother Adolph Satterberg, was that she had withstood the ordeal well and was improving, albeit not as yet out of danger. Friends here hope for her speedy recovery.

Your Creamery

The creamery, organized and built by the people of this community because they saw a need for co-operative marketing of their farm products, can grow and prosper only in the same proportion as it is patronized by the people of the community. Work and boost for the creamery. The more you patronize it, the greater your profits will be.

St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery Association
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Turkey Growers

Now is the time to feed turkey laying mash—Our Breeder's Concentrate can't be beat. Start today, and be assured of a good egg production. We also have WHEAT GERM OIL. This is essential for fertility, hatchability and livability.

Our weekly price will be given Friday at 2 o'clock as usual. A bag of Soy Bean Meal.

MATH BARZEN CO., Inc.

Folk who want
a really big gasoline value
buy FIRE-CHIEF

Who wouldn't want to own a Fire-Chief? The answer is simple—at the price you can't buy a better gasoline. Be thrifty. Choose Fire-Chief for its economy. And enjoy it to the hilt. It's the best value for the money. Drive fast!



AT
Texaco Service Station
Eden & Olsen, Props.
St. Hilaire, Minn.



to make

HERE is a new department that we know is going to meet with tremendous popularity with our readers, for it brings you the opportunity of combining pleasure and profit. With fig, coping or any other material you may make designs from wallboard, plywood or this lumber. Each pattern brings accurate outline of design for making or painting.



Men, women, boys and girls are finding this a fascinating pastime, and with each order will be sent a circular showing many additional novelties which you may make at home.

Today, we are showing a yard design that will appear to many, for the long days of "Golf With the Wind" are recalled vividly in these charming designs.

Your own imagination might turn them into the vibrant Scarlett O'Hara and the reserved Melanie Wilkes in person. And your fig or coping saw and a bit of wallboard or plywood will produce these figures for your own use.

Each comes at its own pattern. The beautiful hoop skirt lady at the left is about 24 inches tall and is given on 280, 15 cents—she adds a box for flowers. The belle at the right is on pattern 2608, 15 cents—about 24 inches tall, a splendid can in its hand.

Order numbers 2308 and 2608, 15 cents each, from: Aunt Martha, Box 106-W, Kansas City, Mo.

It Takes Desperate Action To Correct Some Conditions

Into the infants school reared a sectarian woman, brandishing a heavy hammer.

"Where is Miss David's?" she cried.

The teacher named her, frightened. The principal said to the noisy visitor: "Madam, come to my room, where we can talk."

"Never! I've brought my hammer and I'm going to see something! My young niece has nipped his breeches."

"But Miss David has nothing to do with it!"

"That's quite likely, but I'm not going away until I've driven the nail my son threw himself on."

INDIGESTION

It is interesting to note how some minds seem almost to create themselves, springing up under every disadvantage, and working their solitary but irresistible way through a thousand obstacles to Washington street.

THE AWFUL PRICE YOU PAY FOR BEING NERVOUS

Read these Important Facts

Knowing nerves can make you ill, harassed, nervous, and even drive you to the grave. It is a terrible thing to be nervous, and it is a terrible thing to be ill. It is a terrible thing to be nervous, and it is a terrible thing to be ill.

WNU-Y

One to Guide

Our thoughts and our conduct are our own.

That Nagging Backache

May Means of Discarded Kidney Action

Most of us have heard of the danger of kidney action, but few of us know what to do about it. The danger is not in the kidney itself, but in the action it takes when it is diseased. It is a danger to the whole system, and it is a danger to the life.

DOANS PILLS

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. LABINE

Scandinavian Peace Endangered By Pressure From Belligerents; Finn Defenses Breaking Down

EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.

EUROPE: While Franklin Roosevelt was fishing south of the Panama canal, the two special peace emissaries were on the high seas en route to settle Europe's quarrels. Steadman Mayne C. Taylor would work from the Vatican, Undersecretary of State Sumner Welles would travel to Italy, Germany, France and Britain seeking a truce for a post-war settlement. They had to work fast, because the European daylight was fast getting out of hand.

In Scandinavia

Not only Finland, but Norway and Sweden as well were being drawn into other peoples' wars. Unlikely enmities were being kindled between Stockholm and Oslo governments, and they were being kindled by the long days of "Golf With the Wind" are recalled vividly in these charming designs.

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FEEL ALIEN HANSSON

Sweden complained, but it was not enough. The Swedish premier, had to refuse Finland's plea for direct military aid. The Finns, naturally, were saying bad things, and were saying bad things, and were saying bad things.

OLD

There was no action between the Magdon and Sheffield lines, but the Alaska incident stirred up reprisals in the air. Britain sent its fleet merchant ships carrying mailmen from Spain. Due to Davey Jones' locker went Britain's destroyer *Davey* with a loss of 197 lives. This was the sixth destroyer Britain has lost thus far, and brought her total losses closer to 25 vessels.

In the Near East

Little more was heard of the 10,000 British colonial troops landed recently at Beirut and dispersed throughout the troubled Near East.

TREND

How the wind is blowing...

LABOR—New York's Sen. Robert Wagner has urged creation of a federal mediation board to settle all types of strikes.

CAPITOL—Seeking a "voice" for the employer in national labor legislation, the Senate has passed a bill. Employers of Oregon will march to Spokane on March 30, pointing the way for a national organization.

BANKING—After 80 years of private banking, the venerable New York stock exchange is to be taken over by a public corporation April 1.

RAILROADS—U. S. railroads will lower rates on coal, and will lower rates on coal, and will lower rates on coal.

FINANCE—British treasury has requisitioned private British holdings of U. S. securities, seeking funds for purchase of war materials in the United States.

INDUSTRY—A federal reserve board report indicates that the U. S. industrial production is down 12% in January, indicating a decline in industrial activity.

Bruckner's Washington Digest

Roosevelt Bandwagon Is Rolling, And Party Foes Really Fear It

Steam Roller Drive Is On for Third-Term Nomination and Only President Himself Is in Position To Apply Brakes.

By WILLIAM BRUCKNER
WNU Service, National Press Bureau.

WASHINGTON—Some of the anti-Roosevelt Democrats have begun to say that they fear they may get run over by the Roosevelt bandwagon on its way to the third term. There is a real drive under way to give this Democratic nomination to Mr. Roosevelt, again, and anybody who laughs it off is just foolish.

CONGRESS: Trade Facts

Foreign policy held congressional attention as the house and senate committee reported favorable action on the program. The program is no longer, for the Roosevelt administration's program is no longer, for the Roosevelt administration's program is no longer.

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White Embroidery On a Dark Color

By RUTH WELLS STAPES

CROSS-STITCH is combined here with plain running stitches to make a most unusual cloth that may be embroidered quickly in coarse white embroidery thread. The material may be broadcloth or other similar material. The color is a deep maroon and the design is very effective on this background. Deep blue or green are other fabric colors that are being used with white embroidery.

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AT THE Churches

St. Hilare, N. L. Church
M. L. Dahl, Pastor
Services at 11 a. m.
Sunday school, usual hour.
Friday, March 13th, Men-
sion April, 1922, at 11 a. m.
entirely.
Cleanse, Sunday, Services at
2 p. m. American.

Tunnels, bridges, signals and many other costly structures must
be provided and maintained by a railroad as a part of its "roadway."
The picture shows one of several train signals in the Great North-
ern's 5-mile tunnel which pierces the Cascade Range.

Anti-"Barrier" Campaign

Some states have seen fit to impose special sales
taxes and rigid inspection on certain out-of-state
products for the purpose of protecting their own
producers against out-of-state competition.

Within the last few months these special sales
taxes and inspection laws have been widely
condemned as "barriers" to the free flow of commerce.

Conspicuously active in the campaign against
trade barriers are the highway competitors of the
railroads and other interests closely allied with them.

Their purpose is to turn this agitation to their
own benefit, by urging out (1) the payments or
taxes, which various states have imposed on out-of-
state commercial vehicles for the use of their high-
ways; (2) the methods which various states have
found necessary to adopt in order to enforce such
payments; and (3) various restrictions, such as size
and weight limitations, which various legislatures
have deemed in the best interests of their states.

If the charging of such payments, or taxes,
is a "barrier" to the free flow of commerce,
then certainly the taxes paid by the Great
Northern and other railroads in every state
where they run their trains, are an even greater
barrier, because the visiting truck gets a costly
public highway to operate over in exchange
for the nominal fee it pays, while the railroad
has to provide and maintain its own expensive
roadways over and above the taxes it pays.

It is far-fetched to compare these heavy trans-
port vehicles with private automobiles which are
privileged to be operated anywhere upon the pay-
ment of a license fee in only one state.

For the private automobile is not engaged in a
public transportation business for the profit of its
owner, using costly public facilities to compete
with another kind of transportation which provides
and maintains its own.

Further, there is a wide difference in the cost to
the taxpayers of furnishing highway facilities for
ordinary traffic—and for the heavy loads of com-
mercial vehicles.

The free flow of commerce depends first
of all upon absolute equality in the taxation and
regulation of all forms of transportation, with
each paying off of its own costs. Any
short of this interfere with the free flow of
commerce and constitute the real "barriers."

Great Northern Railway

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR, ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

BLACK RIVER

Hazel and Hiding Adolphson
left on Tuesday for Bandette
to visit relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lind-
quist of St. Hilare were guests
on Saturday evening at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. John
Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Neuman
and Fred Larson of Thief
River Falls visited Thursday
evening at the home of E. L.
Larson.

Miss Gladys Stenning of
Thief River Falls spent the
week-end at the home of her
grandfather, C. Adolphson.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Sweet of
Elbert spent Sunday visiting at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gun-
dard and Lindquist.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter,
Joan and John visited Saturday
evening at the G. Lindquist
home.

Sunday dinner guests at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred
Sweet were Mr. and Mrs.
Harry Winter, John, Lloyd
and Billy of St. Hilare, Mr. and
Mrs. Minnie Erickson, Marie
and Rudolph.

Dinner guests Monday even-
ing at the C. N. Nystrom home
were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Win-
ter and family, Mr. and Mrs.
Alfred Sweet, David, Robert
and Raymond, Mr. and Mrs.
Oscar Mosbeck and family, Mr.
P. A. Hallstrom, Mr. and Mrs.
Alfred Hallstrom and Evan-
gelina, Miss Beatrice Gormine
and Mr. and Mrs. Navin of
Thief River Falls.

The following were Sunday
visitors at the E. L. Larson
home. Mrs. Martin Lux and
Nancy Lee of Grand Forks, Mr.
and Mrs. Peter Larson and Be-
verly of Oakes, Mrs. Chas. Ben-
gerson, Mrs. Fred Rux and Mrs.
Henry Rux.

Visitors on Sunday at the C.
Adolphson home were Mr. and
Mrs. Ferdie Anderson and
daughter and Ed. Mortin.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lind-
quist visited Friday evening at
the home of the former's par-
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GOOD ROADS GROUP ASKS REENACTING OF 4-CENT GAS TAX

Renewed effort to bring about
re-enactment of the four-cent gas
tax in Minnesota is being made by
the Minnesota section of the North-
west Good Roads association.

This case decided at the annual
meeting of the board of governors
at Minnetonka last week-end.
Monday. A determined effort was
"launched" to prevent a slackening
in the state-wide good roads pro-
gram "until such time as, every
community in the state is in accord
with modern standard roads."

E. W. Heister, secretary, pointed
out this action was necessitated by
reason of the 1929 legislature's
provision for lapse of the supple-
mental one-cent tax—Sept. 1.
Automatic expiration of the gas tax
to three cents will cause a loss of
nearly \$500,000 per year in con-
try and state highway construction
projects in addition to the federal
monies which it sponsors, he said.

H. A. Baumann and W. L. Car-
line represented the Thief River
Falls Civic and Commerce associa-
tion at the meeting.

DRIVERLESS TRUCK GOES TO CUBER

Morton—If you've ever wonder-
ed where your iron steed would go
if you gave it a choice, take a
hint from what happened to a
load truck driver. He was turn-
ing a corner near the Methodist
church Sunday, he accidentally fell
out of his cab door. Undaunted
by the lack of a driver, the truck
proceeded across the intersection
bounced off the corner of the
church, turned, and finally bang-
ing up against the Methodist
sanctuary. The driver recovered
the wheel at this point.

MACHINE INVENTED FOR CUTTING WOOD

Albino—One of man's most
backbreaking chores may be on
the way out. For Charles Frost
of Albino has invented and built
a woodcutting machine, with
which he cut twenty cords of
stove-wood for an order in a week.
The machine consists of a "logs"
attached to a plunger, the plunger
being power driven by a gasoline
motor. The device is mounted on
wheels so that it can be moved
easily from place to place.

HAZEL

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Rad-
nield of River Valley were Sat-
urday visitors with the latter's
parents Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert
Bremseth and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ode-
gaard of Oakes, N. Dak., spent
Saturday and Sunday evening
at the home of the latter's brother
and sister-in-law, Mr. and
Mrs. Odegaard.

Otto and Maynard Wedu
spent Saturday and Sunday visit-
ing with their grand parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Ode Wedu at
Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Torstveit
and daughter Rose Torstveit of
Plummer, Mr. and Mrs. Clara
Weekerth and daughter
visited at the Nels Nelson
home a week ago on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bren-
seth and family attended the
ski tournament at Red Lake
Falls Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Ode-
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River Falls were Sunday even-
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CITES FIGURES ON LUMBER OUTPUT IN STATE SINCE 1837

Between 1837 and 1927, Min-
nesota's north woods yielded more
than 75 billion board feet of pine
timber. Despite this heavy out-
put, there still remains in the
state not less than 12 billion feet
of standing pine.

These facts, and many more,
are presented in a bulletin just
put out by the division of for-
ests of the Minnesota depart-
ment of conservation. Copies can
be obtained by writing the Di-
vision of Forestry, State Office
Building, St. Paul.

Declaring the purpose of the
bulletin to be "to describe briefly
Minnesota's timber resources as
they once were; to trace the his-
tory of the early industry and its
decline to its present condition as
they are now; and to outline a
conservation program for the future,"
it proceeds to do these things in
a highly interesting and informa-
tive manner.

According to the bulletin, 31,
500,000 acres, 82 per cent of the
state's area, was covered with
forests originally. "Today only
two-thirds of that area is forest
land, and much of it has very little
timber."

"The original forest of Min-
nesota," it continues, "was divided
into two sections: the hardwood
forest and the evergreen (pine) forest.
The hardwood forests, or
the big woods as they were known
to the pioneers, extended from the
mouth of the Crow Wing river
south to the boundary of the state
and west to the prairies where
forests were scarce even in the
early days.

"The North Woods, or ever-
green forests, were larger. They
extended from the Big Woods
of the south to the Canadian bound-
ary. Pines and spruce pre-
dominated; maple, birch, poplar,
balsam, hemlock and cedar were
scattered through the region and
occasionally formed more or less
pure stands over small areas.
Most of the timber was composed
mostly of a mixture of Norway
pine, white pine and spruce with
the addition of jack pine on the
poorer soils, the jack pine forming
pure stands on very light sandy
soils.

"The timber of the North
Woods was cut mostly by lumber-
men. A few settlers went into
the area before the lumber was
cut that they might sell their logs
to the lumbermen."

BRAY

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Serre and
Clarence were Sunday evening
visitors at the Ted Anderson
home.

Ellen Olson of St. Hilare
spent the week-end visiting at
the S. N. Olson home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Velguth
were Thursday evening visitors
at the L. C. Hegstad home.

William Stromberg who spent
the week-end visiting at Emil
Larson's returned to his home
at Reiller Saturday.

Henry Carpenter was a busi-
ness caller at Crookston Sat-
urday.

Mr. N. P. Scholz and daughter,
Virginia were guests at the
home Saturday evening.

Mr. Emil Larson and Mrs.
George Swanson attended a Red
Cross meeting at Thief River
Falls Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Swanson
entertained the following at
their home Saturday evening:
Donald and Marvin Thyrén of
Helen, Helen Thyrén of Thief
River Falls, Mrs. and Mr.
Alvin and Gustie Dahlstrom,
Mr. and Mrs. Gust Peterson
and family, Mrs. and Mr.
Christian and August Schan-
son and son Arlo, Mr. and
Mrs. John and Mrs. and Mrs.
Wednesday evening visitors at
the Carl Mosbeck home.

Ted Anderson and Mrs. Stan-
ley and Vernon visited at the
Alfred Lindquist home Sat-
urday evening.

ING CHEESE HERE

Albino—The big cheese in town
is at Ziebel's store. It was brought
here to occupy the place of
honor in the merchandising display
of a new and good cheese.
36 inches in diameter, and stands
4 feet high.

Fish hook had lady ideas, he al-
ways thought gaily men.

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LOCAL YOUTH WINS IN SPEECH CONTEST

St. Hilaire will be represented in the regional declamation contest to be held in Thief River Falls, April 2nd because one of this school's contestants, Robert Kirkwood, took first honors in original oratory in the district high school declamation contest held Saturday at Crookston.

St. Hilaire, Thief River Falls and Crookston will each have one, and Warren will have two contestants at the regional meet.

Robert Kirkwood of St. Hilaire took first place in original oratory with superior rating; Astrid Anderson of Warren won the extemporaneous speaking contest with similar rating; James Bjorkson of Thief River Falls and Viona Johnson of Crookston were named winners in the regional contest in the declamation division, and Blossom Docket of Warren will represent the St. Hilaire district in the Interpretative reading section.

Twelve schools with a total of 65 scholars, participated in the district contest. Warren was the winning school, the trophy for the most points won by contestants.

TOWN ELECTIONS TO BE CONDUCTED TUESDAY, MAR. 12

New laws governing township elections will be in force next Tuesday, March 12, when voters in townships of Pennington county as well as elsewhere throughout the state go to the polls to elect officers and to approve the township budget for the ensuing year.

As a result of action by the 1939 legislature, the township system, which has long been in general use in city, primary and general elections, has now been introduced into the township election system. This and other changes in the election laws are covered in Part II of Chapter 345, Laws of 1939, Chapter 2.

Section 2, relating to the form of ballots, reads in part: "All elections of town and village officers shall be held and conducted under the so-called 'Australian ballot system' as provided by law as far as practicable."

It was announced last week that the Redwood township election will be conducted next Tuesday in the Redwood school house.

COUNTY BOARD CONDUCTS BRIEF SESSION TUESDAY
At a brief March session of the county board Tuesday, a few delegations appeared to request road improvements and resolve business was transacted including the allowance of accumulated bills.

Highest Church in Italy
Highest house of worship in Italy is the St. Edward church, located between the two all-time hotels at Bettendorf, winter sports resort in the Italian Alps. It was built by Sen. Giovanni Agnelli, the "Henry Ford" of Italy and builder of Sestriere, in memory of his son Edmondo.

Biggest Building in Europe
The biggest building in Europe is the Palace of Justice at Brussels. It covers an area 12 feet greater than that of St. Peter's at Rome.

BUYS HALSTAD BANK

Walter Johnson, cashier of the Red Lake County State Bank at Red Lake Falls, and his associates, have purchased the controlling interest of the First National Bank of Halstad from the Halstad Bank Co., Inc., of Minneapolis. The purchase price was \$125,000. George Johnson of Crookston, formerly in the banking business at Grygaa and Thief River Falls, will be cashier. The new owners assumed charge this week.

4-H LOANS AVAILABLE

A number of Pennington county boys and girls whose parents are Farm Security Administration borrowers will be able to participate in 4-H club livestock projects this spring under new loan provisions announced by Charley Omundt, county FSA supervisor.

Mr. Omundt explained that boys and girls enrolled in these junior organizations and who are unable to finance the purchase of their hams, calves, pigs, poultry, etc., can, with the approval of their county agent, secure an FSA loan not exceeding \$75.00 to cover the cost of their project animals.

STATE 4-H LEADER

REPORTS 46,566 AS ENROLLED IN 1939

For the 28th consecutive year 4-H club work has continued to grow and reach more young people in the state than ever before. T. A. Erickson, state club leader, announced after reviewing the annual reports of county extension agents and 4-H leaders.

For 1939, 46,566 boys and girls were enrolled in 7,528 projects. This represents an increase of 1,370 members and nearly two thousand projects over last year's record. Boys' counties that showed an increased enrollment: Ben reported or exceeded a total membership of 800. These counties were: St. Louis with over 2,000 members, Becker, Ramsey, Goodhue, Beltrami, Rock, Ottertail, Todd, East Ottertail, and Aitkin.

A total of 1,695 local leaders, of which 824 were adults and 870 were junior leaders, may give the major credit for maintaining this record-breaking 4-H program. As the state leader, they have supervised project work, assisted members with a total of more than 10,000 individual and team demonstrations, and have voluntarily donated countless hours of time and attention in order that there should be a well-balanced 4-H program.

The Oldtimer



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Postponed a week from the regular date, the petit jury has been called for Monday at the winter term of district court in this county.

Friends here will be pleased to know Mrs. G. L. Falmat of Minneapolis, is convalescing at a satisfactory rate following a recent operation.

The Thief River Falls puckers took the Statedominion Championship by defeating Crookston three straight games the last played Sunday night.

Marble games are already being played since mid weather. "It's all that ice-mountain" is for some persons to report seeing a crow, to declare spring being here.

The school board is anxiously awaiting a shipment of lumber needed for the new addition. The lumber is reported to have been loaded and left Portland, Ore., a week ago.

Marvin Olmest left Friday for Westby, Wis., to visit at the home of his brother, Sterling. Marvin expects to be again employed in a hatchery in a neighborhood town the coming season.

Robert Wilhelm, who resides southeast of here, reports loss of three horses within a few days. The animals dropped dead suddenly from some undetermined cause. Others thrust out this part of the county report having lost horses the same way.

Modern Green Green
Modern Green Green gets their name from a small village in southern Scotland which boasts a favorable place for cloning cattle from England after the English Marriage law was revised in the eighteenth century. Many of these runaway marriages were performed over the walls of the village smithy house. Green Green, a Scottish lass who had a man and woman happily married if they exchanged vows before a green cow.

FATAL SHOOTING ACCIDENT

David Hanson, age 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hanson of Thief River Falls died Monday in a hospital in that city from a bullet wound suffered the previous day. David and his brother, Arthur, were handling what they thought was an unloaded revolver at their home when it accidentally discharged, striking the younger boy in the back.

GUST NELSON CALLED

Gust Nelson, age 77, a resident of this village for nearly fifty years, died Friday morning at his home from a heart ailment with which he had been afflicted several years. Born October 3rd, 1863, in northern Sweden, Mr. Nelson spent his early years in that country. In the early twenties he emigrated to this country, settling in Wisconsin where he was employed as cook in the lumber woods. Following his marriage in that state, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson came to this community. A cook by trade, Mr. Nelson was employed in the woods; with railroad construction crews, and worked as a logger. He was a quiet, retiring man, well liked by all who knew him. For several years past he had been in poor health.

Deceased is survived by a daughter and a son, Mrs. Andrew Mortenson and Hilmer Nelson, both of this place. He also is survived by a brother, Herman, at Detroit Lakes; a sister, Mrs. John Westlund of Plummer, and another sister in the Iron Range district. Mrs. Nelson died in 1937, and two infant children preceded their father in death.

Funeral services were held Monday at the local Swedish Lutheran church, Rev. H. A. Larson officiating. Many old friends were present at the service. Interment was in the family plot in the cemetery east of the village.

Thompson-Wells

Miss Iva Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Thompson of this village, and Mr. James Wells, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wells of Goodridge, were united in marriage Tuesday, March 5 at the Evangelical Free church parsonage at Thief River Falls with Rev. J. O. Jacobson officiating. They were attended by Miss Viola Age, cousin of the bride, and Raymond Wells, brother of the groom.

For her wedding the bride wore a blue frock with a corsage of red roses and sweet peas. Her attendant's dress was green with an orchid and white corsage. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents for immediate relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Wells left the same day on a wedding trip. Upon returning they will make their home at Thief River Falls.

RITES HELD FOR HALVOR HANSON

Funeral services for the late Halvor Hanson, pioneer settler of Bray, who died Wednesday morning at a Thief River Falls hospital, were conducted Tuesday at 1 o'clock at the Larson funeral home at Thief River Falls, with final rites at the Oakridge church in Bray of which the deceased had long been a member. Rev. M. L. Dahle of this village, officiated at the service, which was largely attended by old friends and neighbors and former neighbors of Mr. Hanson, who was well known and highly respected by them all. Interment was made in the family burial plot in Lanstad cemetery south of Oakridge church. To mourn the departure of a kind and considerate father are two daughters, Mrs. Selmer Olson of Bray and Mrs. Walter Olson of St. Hilaire; four sons, Henry, Arthur and Elmer of Thief River Falls, and George in Bray. He also is survived by one sister, Mrs. Andrew Westlund of Thief River Falls; by twenty grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Mrs. Hanson died and preceded him in death. One of the sons, Casper G. Hanson, died in the army camp at Italy, Georgia, in 1918 while a member of the U. S. Army preparing for service with the A. E. F.

Two Gustavus seniors from St. Hilaire

Two Gustavus seniors from St. Hilaire, Miss Mary Jane Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Johnson, and Douglas Larson, son of Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Larson, will leave March 26, with the Gustavus Adolphus College, a capella choir, on their annual two-weeks' spring concert tour, this year including cities throughout Minnesota. Miss Johnson is a member of the second soprano section of the choir, and Mr. Larson, of the second tenor section.

Some person or persons with a perverted sense of decency, have taken the stone out of the cemetery tombstone because the house happened to be unoccupied. Anyone having information as to whereabouts of the stone will confer a favor by notifying any of the village officers.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. LABINE

Belligerents Tighten Pressure On Lesser Neutral Countries; Rumania Veers Back to Allies

(EDITION NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

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EUROPE:

Pressure on the Neutrals
Of all the lesser European states whose princes and presidents were straddling fences, none was kinder than Rumania's King Carol. The Rumanian pendulum, which for six months has swung from pro-Nazi to pro-ally and back again, took a definite swing to the allies again. But it was a result of pressure.

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U. S. AND THE WAR:

First Trip to Berlin
Arriving at Rome, Assistant Secretary of State Sumner Welles began his special mission to Europe.

Welles' first stop was in Berlin. He was met by the German Foreign Minister, Count Galeazzo Ciano, next on the program was to see the German Chancellor, Adolf Hitler.

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AGRICULTURE:

Loosened Credit

East Dakota cases of hog cholera in the million-dollar, highly conservative farm credit administration. Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace wanted to loosen credit restrictions for the hog industry. F. C. Hill, fearful that hog credit would be jeopardized, and finally resigned. A few days later FCA had under the hog industry. As new credit is issued, A. U. Blackwell, who announced a new program would be...

Major aim is to keep farmer debtors on the farm and protect them against foreclosures.

Thus, leniency will be substituted for strict banking procedure in cases where borrower is unable to make a fair chance of eventually paying their debt.

Walter Black was pointing out how FCA is now taking the broadest view, "several of its executives are resigning because of the pressure of the situation."

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WRAPPED UP IN THEM



"That woman over there is Mrs. Frank S. Pounce. She thinks of nothing but her clothes."

"And yet you can't say that she's all wrapped up in them."

HIGH FINANCE



"What's the matter, my boy?"

"Indeed! Mr. Skinner was to pay me \$100 an hour for cleaning off the snow and now he's went and charged me 50 cents for the use of his shovel!"

NOT ONLY THAT



"There have decreased enormously with the use of the automobile."

"Yes; and with it you see has burst-asens."

OUNDS REASONABLE



"Marry my daughter? Why young man, you couldn't buy her clothes even."

"Well, if they're worth less and less of 'em every day in Saturday."

LIGHTS OUT



"She—You used to say I was the light of your life."

"Well, I still do, but I'm only looking because you go out so much."

Good Reason

"Ask—And you wouldn't begin a journey on Friday?"

"Tells—Most certainly not."

"Ask—That's a silly superstition."

"Tells—It's no superstition in my race. My pay day is Saturday."

Outside Help

"Habeen—So your wife quarreled with you? I thought you said she was blind to your faults."

"Coyne—She was blind to them all right, but wasn't deaf, and the neighbors posted her."

That Man's in Again!

"The boss just made me manager of his doughnut factory."

"Congratulations! Are you in charge of everything?"

"Yes, the hole works."

Avoid Worry

"Crying—Don't dretre so fast around these curves. It frightens me."

"Holowyn—If you don't want to get scared, do as I do—don't put your eyes when we around the curves."

Books and Books

"Female Reformer (yelling) I say your love for books brought you here? Just how did that happen?"

"Prisoner—They were pocketbooks, lady."

Kid Stuff

"Daddy—You mustn't let Fido chase automobiles, Junior."

"Junior—But I want to see what he'd do with one if he caught it."

Animal Everyman

"Mother—Sarah Jane, do you know where the little girls go to?"

"Sarah Jane—Oh, yes—they go all out everywhere."

Spood

"In 1931, it took 50 hours to go by train from Philadelphia to Baltimore. Today the run averages 1 hour."

WHAT'S THE USE?



"He—Have you ever considered getting married?"

"She—No. I've been married three times but I never stopped to consider it."

REGULATION



"I see, Sambo, that you have a new thermometer, so you can regulate the heat."

"Yes, sah! But dat thermometer don't regulate nothing. Ef I don't keep piling in wood we don't get no heat at all."

CAN'T TELL NOWADAYS



"Beauty is only skin deep, you know."

"It used to be, I think the girls are laying it on a little thicker this year."

WIRE HER, OF COURSE



"Just got a letter from my wife saying the west coastman with me away—all unstrung, you know."

"What are you going to do?"

"Wire her at once."

CLEVER WITH HIS FISTS



"Mr. Skinner—a clever artist can change a pretty face into an ugly one in a few strokes."

"Fuglist Friend—Phaw, I've spoiled many a face in one crack!"

THE REAL THING



"See Lever—Yes, dear, that is a real money moon."

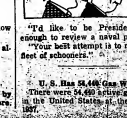
THAT'S JUST WHY



"Why is Bill always unhappy?"

"Because he is always so short."

THAT'S TELLING HIM



"I'd like to be President (loud enough to review a naval parade)." "Your best attempt is to get elected of schoolmates."

DEARLY



"He—Can I come in for a few minutes?"

"She—Yes—if you'll then go out for a few years."

IMPROVING



"He—You are more beautiful every day."

"She—Hardly that, I think. It is just that your qualities of perception and taste are growing better."

USELESS CHAP



"Tom doesn't know what to do with his hands."

"(Others chuck) He can neither make love nor play cards."

CONSIDERATE



"Are you going to the Jones-Smith wedding?"

"No, I don't like to see people suffer, whether they are conscious of it or not."

PERFECT GENTLEMAN



"Paul is a perfect gentleman."

"Right you are; he never thinks of kissing me without first asking permission."

PETTED TOO MUCH



"The meat you sent me yesterday was splendid. That lamb's head tasted a great deal."

STEPPED ON IT



"When he committed suicide did he turn on the gas?"

"No, he stepped on the gas."

NO GLASSES NEEDED



"Dear—See, Mr. Poutin, how is it you know so much?"

"Poutin—Well, with all my eyes I is hard to miss anything."

TIME WILL TELL



"O, Mr. Bore! Can't we do anything to break up this terrible dulling?"

"Can't we quarrel or something?"

"Why, certainly, Miss Bore! But I hardly thought we were good enough friends yet."

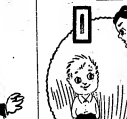
HIS ONE BIG CHANCE



"Hobby—A baby's troubles that's true; but remember the hand that rocks the cradle rules the world."

"(Others chuck) He assumes world dominion for the evening while I go to a show."

UP-TO-DATE



"Mother—How careless you are, Dicty; you've lost your monogram. Dicty—Then, mother, you might offer a reward for their return."

FINANCES ARE LOW



"Mother—Now, Dicty (age five), take brother (age two), for a walk. Dicty—Be the mother. Dicty—Oh, I would prefer to be the nurse. Mother—Very well, then, you be the nurse and take little brother by his hand for a walk. Dicty—This is my day off."

EVERY LITTLE HELPS



"Does Jimmy spend much on you?"

"Yes—much time."

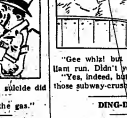
THE BIG GAME



"The whist but this was a bit Ham run. Didn't you enjoy it?"

"Yes, indeed, but I greatly prefer those midway-crook plays."

DING-DONG



"Pletcher—I hear you got caught in the rain last night?"

"No—Yes, and I got trapped wet."

CRACK-POPPAGE



"Haw-Joe earned his child Carol when he was born on Christmas. Haw-Sue? I thought Carol was a boy."

"Solead"

"Old Lady—Where can I catch a street car young man?"

"Young Man—By the habits of the door is the best place, lady."

SHAVE WITHOUT A RAZOR



"It was a great occasion, and father looked so with an amused smile; while his eldest son, aged sixteen, had his first shave."

"After a great deal of lathering, says Pearson's London Weekly, he picked up his new patent razor and began to scrape. Finally, he missed the soap from his face, and carressed his chin with his hand."

"That's better," he murmured proudly.

"The father handed the boy a blade. 'You've forgotten to use this,' he said kindly."

JUST A WEE BIT



"She—But dear, I can't go to the ball. I have a little to wear."

"He—(Grim) This is a society ball. They all wear very little."

Efficiency

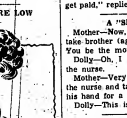


"How about two of them?" asked the druggist of the man who was buying a toothbrush. "One for your wife?"

"No, thanks. When I buy a new one, I always give her the old one."

"He passed while several other customers in the store gazed, and then he added: 'She uses it to clean her shoes.'—Smiley's Gazette."

Easy



"The foreman of an electrical repair shop was interviewing a boy applying for a job."

"Do you know anything about electrical apparatus?" asked the foreman.

"Yes, sir," was the prompt reply. "What is an armature?" asked the foreman.

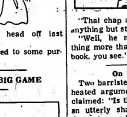
"A baseball player who doesn't get paid," replied the boy.

A "Sit Down"



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So What's the Use?



"I say, waiter, the flowers on this table are artificial, aren't they?"

"Yes, sir. That's the worst of running a vegetable restaurant—we use real flowers, the customers eat them."

First Aid



"Mr. Newtweed—This most tastes funny."

"Mrs. Newtweed—Well, you see, dear it got burnt, so I put a little oilment on it."

PICKS LIGHT WEIGHTS



"That chap a great lifter! Looks 'griping hot strong."

"Yes, he never attempts anything more than a watch or pocket book, you see."

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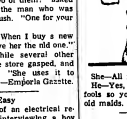
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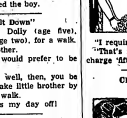
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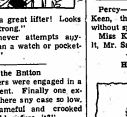
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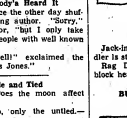
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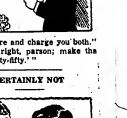
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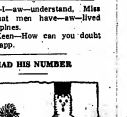
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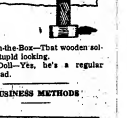
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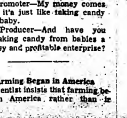
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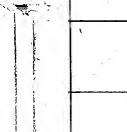
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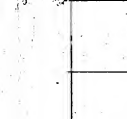
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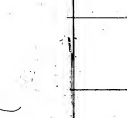
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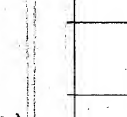
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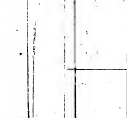
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"Gethsemane",
Gabbatha, Golgotha—Sacred Spots.

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P. M. Gospel Service, Pastor
Glenn H. Finn, Minister
"What Shall I Do for You?"
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Offering for Government Foreign Missions.

10 A. M. Worship and Sermon, "The Empty Tomb."
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Numbers in song by the string band, Thyren group, Carpenter sisters, Ladies Trio, Musical number by Lorraine and Kenneth Swanson and Maurice Steiger. Dedication of new hymns.

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Miss Adel Adolphson and Hilding Adolphson returned home from Bandette and Warroad after spending a week visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Elias Hendrickson is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Lindquist.

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Ernest Barrett underwent a minor operation at a Thief River Falls hospital Monday.

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The experience of 150 years of census taking is behind not only the questions that will be asked but also the technical features of the procedure devised to insure the minimum of inaccuracy. The co-operation of the public and accurate work will greatly facilitate the work and help to bring about a complete and accurate count. The actual count will commence on April 2nd.

SUN ECLIPSE APRIL 7

A partial eclipse of the sun on Sunday, April 7, will be visible in this section of the country. The eclipse will start about 5:30 P. M. and will continue until 5:50, with the greatest eclipse occurring at 5:40 when the sun will be about 50 per cent obscured.

SACRED CONCERT SUNDAY

The "Missionary Four," a colored quartette, will give a sacred concert at St. Hilaire high school auditorium Sunday, March 31st, at 10 A. M. This concert is sponsored by the Y. P. C. of the Mission church. No admission will be charged, but a free-will offering will be taken to help defray expenses. Everyone welcome.



DR. SPOFFORD
OPTOMETRIST

WILL BE AT
ERSKINE, Tues. Apr. 2, 3 forenoon.
FERTILE, Tues. Apr. 2, 3 forenoon.
MENTON, Wed. Apr. 3, forenoon.
RED LAKE FALLS, Wed. Apr. 3, afternoon.
GREENBUSH, Thurs. Apr. 4, forenoon.
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MONTGOMERY, Fri. Apr. 5, forenoon.
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HEAVY SNOW EAST

New York state and territory along the Atlantic seaboard has had the most severe winter this year of any since the record winter of 1888. Snow to a depth of 25 feet has drifted over highways in many places, effectively closing off all traffic, and making movement of foodstuffs and milk very difficult, the heavy snow covering the country. Without sufficient equipment to handle such a snowfall, the railroads in New York and adjoining states are concentrating their efforts in opening main roads, others will be left until later.

The south half of this state received another four inch snow yesterday. Snow was reported falling around Detroit Lakes several hours before any came here.

W. M. S. MEETING, APRIL 5

Annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society will be held at the R. M. Larson home Friday, April 5th, at 2 P. M. All who are interested in home and foreign missions are invited.

Sixty per cent unchurched people in America, and 13 million of children not going to Sunday school. Much work is yet to be done by the forty per cent. "Go ye into all the world."

"Grant that we heed Thy words and commandments and give us willing hearts and hands, let us our gifts of love bestow, that they Thy boundless love may know."

A good program will be rendered and free lunch will be served. Come, everyone.

25 Years Ago

From 1915 Spectator Files
Charles Sigurdson, a native of Gilmore City, Iowa, who had been called by the illness of his mother.

Sunder Engstrom commended execution of a residence and large barn on his lots on Water street.

Olga Fricker, Blanche Hoff, Clara Leberg and Edith Lindquist, students at the Moorhead Normal school, came to spend Easter vacations at their respective homes.

Dan Whalen, the livestock dealer, was making extensive improvements on his place which is now owned by W. Ewing.

Alfred Olson was severely bruised and probably suffered some internal injury in a runaway accident which occurred between his farm and Wylie.

F. Sala, who had recently removed from South Dakota, leased the J. M. Rolland farm northwest of the village.

Wheat was \$1.35 a bushel in the local market that week.

Good Breeding
Good breeding shows itself in the offspring of a sire.
-Mrs. J. A. Smith



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Miss Effie Fredrickson, who teaches near Okie, spent her Easter vacation here at the V. G. Brink home.

Mrs. and Mrs. Art Hanson, Mrs. H. A. Olson and Bobby Olson motored Tuesday evening to spend Easter vacation at the home of her brother, Wm. Palmquist and family.

Miss Myrtle Palmquist, commercial instructor in the school at Bertha, came Friday morning to spend Easter vacation at the home of her brother, Wm. Palmquist and family.

Mrs. and Mrs. E. N. Redberg and sons, Tommy and Paul, left with friends here yesterday evening while enroute home to Foston after a trip to Thief River Falls. Mr. Redberg has been re-elected for the coming year to his present position as principal of the Foston high school.

M. R. Graham and R. M. Larson left today for St. Paul on business matters in connection with the school. They were accompanied on the trip by Mrs. W. J. Janda who will visit briefly with her daughter, Ellen, who is taking a nurse's training course at Minneapolis.

Much interest is being shown locally in the state basketball tournament which starts today at Minneapolis. Eight teams compete today, four Friday, and final contest for the state championship takes place Saturday. Bemidji is the contender for state honors from this district.

All night and power bills should be in this office not later than 4 P. M. Friday. Today was the final day for payment with discount or without penalty, as the case may be, but since the office is open evenings after the mail has gone, the extra time is given those who did not "get under the wire" before.

Arthur Wilhelm has made a deal for the former Mons Swenson farm west of the village.

All members of the teaching staff of the local school returned Monday and school reopened Tuesday after the annual Easter vacation.

Rolf Wolan is driving a new Ford business coupe purchased Monday and school reopened Tuesday after the annual Easter vacation.

An informal meeting of the B. M. Club was held Monday night at the club room, Redwood Inn.

Wm. Engle has bought a new one ton Dodge truck to be used in connection with his wood cutting business.

Mrs. John Palmquist left Tuesday for Los Angeles and San Diego, California where she will visit with her daughter, sister and brothers.

After spending Easter vacation at home, Miss Grace Dahle left Sunday night to resume her school work at Marshall, Minn.

SCHOOL NOTES

The regional Declaration contest will be held Tuesday evening April 2nd at the municipal auditorium at Thief River Falls. Robert Kirkconnell will represent St. Hilaire High School in Original Oratory. This is the first St. Hilaire contestant to win in the district meet in a number of years.

A postponed meeting of the board of education was held at the school office Tuesday evening. No changes were made in personnel of the teaching staff for the coming year, and salaries were fixed at the same figure as those for this year.

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LIGHT SNOW TODAY

About two inches of light, fluffy snow fell over this area early this morning. After daybreak, a misty sheet commenced to fall which coated abridges of cars making auto traffic both slow and hazardous.

SEIZE ALCOHOL LOAD

Federal agents operating in this section of the state, made a good haul Monday at Crookston when they seized and confiscated a new car containing 2600 gallons of grain alcohol. The load, said to be owned by Hibbing and Winnipeg men, is reported as being enroute from Wisconsin to Minneapolis when seized.

Miss Alice Skottom, instructor in the city schools at Fargo, has returned to her duties after spending Easter vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sever Skottom.

Friends of Rev. M. L. Dahle will rejoice to know his condition has shown considerable improvement the past week, and prospects are bright for his being up and around again in short time.

A very successful auction sale of stock and farm machinery was held Tuesday afternoon at the Art Gustad place south of the Hazel Creamery. Fred Gustafson of Plummer acted as the sale.

Selmer Wahlback has a deal about completed for a farm west of Thief River Falls. If the deal is made as planned, Mr. and Mrs. Wahlback and family will occupy the place next fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Eastlund of Cambridge are guests here at the R. M. Larson home over last weekend. Mrs. Larson accompanied them Sunday on a trip to Hallowell to visit relatives and friends.

Adolph Bilden returned Tuesday after having spent about two weeks with his son, Clifford at Enid, Okla. Enroute home he visited with relatives in South Dakota, and spent Easter at the home of his son, Howard at Minneapolis.

Supt. M. R. Graham and members of the basketball squad were at Thief River Falls Monday evening to hear Bernie Berman, noted coach of the University of Minnesota football team, and to see pictures of the team in action.

After spending a couple of weeks here at the home of her brother, Harry Allen, Mrs. Myrtle Edmister left Tuesday for her home at Union Springs, N. Y. She had spent several months in California prior to coming here. The Allen and Wendell Corbett worked with her Tuesday to Fargo where she boarded a train for home.

COLLEGE CHOIR CONCERT SUNDAY

The Gustavus Adolphus College Choir of St. Peter, one of the most distinguished Lutheran chapel ensembles in America, is coming to Thief River Falls Sunday evening March 31 and will sing in the municipal Auditorium at 8:15.

This well known musical organization called the "Cathedral Choir of the Augustana Synod" will sing under the direction of G. Adolph Nelson, brilliant composer-conductor.

The literary this year includes appearances in Minneapolis, Colesburg, Mandan, Willmar, Litchfield, Wabasha, Thief River Falls, Brainerd, Alexandria, St. Cloud, and several others.

The choir is appearing under the sponsorship of the First Lutheran Church, whose pastor is Rev. Charles W. Erickson.

Sun spots are said to be responsible for the disruption of telephone and telegraph service, and prospects are bright for his being up and around again in short time.

WHIST MEETING APRIL 3RD

Next, and what likely will be the last meeting of the whist tournament for this season, will be held at the chicken hall Wednesday night, April 3rd. In case the coming game should tie the series, there may be another meeting later if the players so desire.

Miss Dorothy Gustad, teacher at Bagley, came Friday to spend Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gustad.

Conservation Chief to Visit This Area May 6-9

Following receipt of word from Dr. W. L. Strain, Minnesota Commissioner of conservation, Walter Jones, president of the Pennington County Sportsmen club, stated today that Dr. Strain's visit here will inspect projects in this section. He is expected to arrive in April, as announced last week.

North Dakota Accident Causes
Carelessness, insufficient and thoughtlessness were attributed by Wabasha's safety engineer as being responsible for 84 per cent of the state's automobile accidents.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. Lohme

Russ-German-Italian Coalition
Arises to Plague Democracies;
Welles Given 'Peace' Proposal

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

The Wars in Brief
Western Front. Several small offensives followed. French artillery destroyed Nazi propaganda signs across northern land. Northern Front. Finn troops evacuated and ended to Russia (see below). In the Air. Nazi planes bombed Scape Flow, hitting one ship and inflicting first British civilian casualties. In a counterblow, R. A. F. planes bombed Nazi patrol boats off Heligoland light.

In Asia. Russian and Jap troops clashed on Sakhalin, jointly occupied island. Both nations were reported reinforcing their Outer Mongolian-Manchukuan frontiers.

INTERNATIONAL
Holy Week

Europe was filled with sentimentalism on St. Patrick's day. As Holy Week got underway the dictators described their events and tried to look righteous. The imaginary axis running from Berlin, southeast through the Brenner pass to Rome became a well-trodden highway as

the world waited expectantly, high Nazis in Berlin noted knowingly and dropped strong hints that Italy was about to reaffirm emphatically her allegiance to the Rome-Berlin axis. Observers expected some announcement of German-Italian-Russian collaboration in the Balkans and elsewhere.

For Mr. Welles

Better informed on this shabby-diggery than any allied or neutral chancellor, was Sumner Welles, U. S. undersecretary of state. In search of a meeting ground for peace, far from gunfire, Mr. Welles was nevertheless being played by the dictators for all he was worth. Observers recalled that

NEWS QUIZ

Can you identify the states in which each of the following news events took place? Write the state name in the space provided. 1. In what state was Gov. E. D. Riven, arrested for ignoring a federal injunction, issued after he ousted State Highway Commissioner W. L. Miller?

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3. In what state was 71 men killed by the St. Clairville mine disaster, from which 111 others escaped?

4. In what state did the governor call out national guardsmen to check completion of a \$250,000 U. S. power project, charging state property would be damaged in the flooded area?

5. In what state did the death of P. K. Smith, political campaign fund manager, prompt an investigation into "shell" funds?

News Quiz Answers

- 1. Georgia.
- 2. Louisiana.
- 3. Oklahoma.
- 4. Illinois.
- 5. Florida.

FINLAND:
Exodus

While Dr. Fuhrer and Dr. Duce were setting Europe's hash at Brussels, the Finnish people, world attention shifted suddenly and permanently away from brave little Finland. Once were the Karelian, Viipuri, Hangö and a big slice of her northern frontier. This meant that 450,000 Finns had to be evacuated to Sweden, for the steamroller of Soviet occupation was

HOUSING:
Farm Project

Some idea of how it worked was given by Leland Stowe, Chicago realtor. He said that the new housing projects from the Finnish farm have been a success. Thoroughly bitter over the Soviet seizure of Finland, Stowe's statement over there, correspondent

CONGRESS:
New Politics

It is not judicious to urge, in a presidential election year, that political aspects of legislative office holders be curbed. Last year New York's Carl H. Hatch was a trouble-making passage of his own political act, the illegal revenue thought Franklin Roosevelt's third term ambitions were kept out of politics.

RURAL HOUSING TEST AREA

New housing project, the 700-acre, 200-acre, 150-acre, 100-acre, 50-acre, 25-acre, 10-acre, 5-acre, 2-acre, 1-acre, 1/2-acre, 1/4-acre, 1/8-acre, 1/16-acre, 1/32-acre, 1/64-acre, 1/128-acre, 1/256-acre, 1/512-acre, 1/1024-acre, 1/2048-acre, 1/4096-acre, 1/8192-acre, 1/16384-acre, 1/32768-acre, 1/65536-acre, 1/131072-acre, 1/262144-acre, 1/524288-acre, 1/1048576-acre, 1/2097152-acre, 1/4194304-acre, 1/8388608-acre, 1/16777216-acre, 1/33554432-acre, 1/67108864-acre, 1/134217728-acre, 1/268435456-acre, 1/536870912-acre, 1/1073741824-acre, 1/2147483648-acre, 1/4294967296-acre, 1/8589934592-acre, 1/17179869184-acre, 1/34359738368-acre, 1/68719476736-acre, 1/137438953472-acre, 1/274877906944-acre, 1/549755813888-acre, 1/1099511627776-acre, 1/2199023255552-acre, 1/4398046511104-acre, 1/8796093022208-acre, 1/17592186044416-acre, 1/35184372088832-acre, 1/70368744177664-acre, 1/140737488355328-acre, 1/281474976710656-acre, 1/562949953421312-acre, 1/1125899906842624-acre, 1/2251799813685248-acre, 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AT THE Churches

Mission Covenant Church
Rev. M. W. Wilson, Pastor
Rev. 430 S. Paul Ave.
Thief River Falls
Wednesday afternoons, Religious instruction.
Saturdays, 10:30 A. M., Confirmation class. Every member present please every time from now on.

Sunday, March 31, 10 A. M. At the St. Hilaire high school auditorium, the Mississippi Four will render a gospel and sacred concert. This colored quartette has been touring in their churches in the Red River Valley during the past week and will give their last concert in our village under the auspices of our Y. P. S. If the offering is large enough, the proceeds will be divided on per centage basis between the Y. P. S. and our church. The concert will be on hand at the school next Sunday morning at 10 A. M. The concert will last approximately an hour. Welcome!

Tuesday, April 2nd, 8 P. M. Our Y. P. S. is scheduled to give a program at the Free church, Thief River Falls.

Thursday, April 4th, 8 P. M. Fellowship service followed by brief business session of the congregation. Every member urged to attend, non members welcome. Come for the first service anyway. Membership applications should be in before the service.

Sunday, April 7, 10 A. M., United service and Bible School begins. We want everyone who plans to attend our Sunday school to come at 10 A. M. As we are uniting our church with the Sunday school service, 10 A. M. 11:45 A. M. 10:15 A. M. Sunday Bible school in Black River Chapel begins.

St. Hilaire N. L. Churches
M. L. Dahle, Pastor
March 31 Sunday services: St. Hilaire Ladies aid Friday. Services Sunday evening at 8. St. Rev. S. A. Aastad will preach. Old Ridge, 2 p. m. Services by Rev. M. L. Fahlstedt.
St. Hilaire, Sunday school, 10:30. Communion.
Rev. S. T. Aastad will preach. News.

Augustana Lutheran Churches
H. A. Larson, Pastor
March 31 Sunday 9:00 a. m. Confirmation class at Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Larson.
Friday 8:00 p. m. Sunday school, 9:00 p. m. Service.
Friday April 5, 8:00 p. m. Luther League at the church.
Sunday 9:00 a. m. Ladies aid at the parsonage.
Sunday 2:00 p. m. Service, 10:30 a. m. Sunday school.
Friday 8:00 p. m. Bible study and prayer meeting.
Friday April 5, 8:00 p. m. Women's Missionary Society at Mrs. Larson's.
Chas. Hassel, Friday 8:00 p. m. Luther League at the church.
11 a. m. service.
Note: Concert by the Gustavus Adolphus Chorus, St. Hilaire, April 10, 11 a. m. Chorus practice at Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Nordberg Thursday 8 p. m.

FINNISH RELIEF CARNAVAL

A carnival will be held in the Plummer Auditorium Friday evening, March 28, beginning at 8 o'clock. The proceeds of the event to be sent to the Finnish relief fund in the Plummer building. The program will include several dances in addition to songs and other games, while lunch will be served by a group of Finnish Women. Admission to the program will be free, but there will be a 50c charge for dancing which will follow.

RED LAKE FALLS BLAZE DAMAGES FLAX TOW PLANT

Fire starting at the South Park Co. flax tow mill in Red Lake Falls at 2 p. m. Thursday destroyed 12,000 tons of stacked hay and one house and started several smaller blazes, resulting in a loss estimated at more than \$15,000. Origin of the blaze was undetermined. Fanned by a northeast wind, the blaze spread over a wide area. The Leo St. Michel house, five blocks south of the tow mill was burned to the ground. Considerable furniture and a large number of automobile tires also were destroyed. St. Michel's house was estimated at more than \$3,000.

At the tow mill the fire was confined to straw stacks and the loss there, according to Ed Christenson, manager, was placed at \$12,000.

Fire equipment from Thief River Falls and Crookston was rushed to the scene to assist the local department in battling the fire.

HAZEL

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bremer and family were Wednesday evening supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Albertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weder and daughter of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Margaret L. Grogan of Crookston were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neils Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Odegard and children visited with the latter's mother, Mrs. Signe Svensen at Kirtland on Friday.

Miss Margaret Lohd spent Wednesday and Thursday visiting with her brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lohd, North Smiley, a little Betty Ann Lohd with her.

Mrs. Ole Odegard, Mrs. Martha Lohd, Mrs. Adrian Anderson, Myrnes Anderson and Carol Ann Sandberg were luncheon guests Wednesday afternoon of Mrs. Peter Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Wedel visited at the Town Waile home on Thursday, Thief River Falls Saturday.

Funeral services were held last Saturday afternoon at the St. Pauli church for Mrs. Hans Fredericksen, who passed away at her home in Smiley township a week ago Monday at the age of eighty years.

Interment was made in the Greenwood cemetery.

She was born May 28, 1869, in Hadland, Norway. She came to this country and made her home in St. Hilaire, this state, in 1884. She was married in 1884 to the late Hans Fredericksen, and they moved to Smiley township where they also have made their home.

She is survived by her husband, Hans, sons and sons-in-law; daughters: Mrs. Oscar Wold of Minneapolis, Mrs. Bert Warner of Endellin, N. Dak., Mrs. James Sykes of Hazel, Minn., Mrs. Henry of St. Paul, and John at home and eight grandchildren. One son, Fred preceded her in death.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin K. Ellingsen, children Betty Ann and Mayo spent from Friday until Sunday visiting with relatives at Gary.

The Clara Luther League will meet at the church Friday evening, March 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Wedel and sons motored Sunday to Melvin, Minn., for a visit at the Peter Selher home.

Miss Gertrude Kalinowski of St. Hilaire spent a few days visiting with Salla Urdahl at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Urdahl.

Peter Grogan spent the week-end visiting with friends and relatives at Brooks.

were Thursday evening visitors at Amy N. Wedel's.

Rev. Ann Albertson spent a few days visiting with her aunt Mrs. Alex. Albertson, Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Odegard and children visited at the Martha Lohd home Sunday afternoon.

Evelyn Nelson spent Thursday visiting with her uncle and aunt, Mrs. Alex. Albertson at Plummer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Warner returned from a week-end visit at St. Hilaire, N. Dak., and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wolden returned also to their home at Minneapolis Sunday after attending the funeral of Mrs. Hans Fredericksen.

SCHOOL BOARD PROCEEDINGS

The Board of Education of School Dist. 102 held its regular meeting at the high school building on March 28, 1940 and was called to order by the chairman Mrs. E. Hansen at 8 P. M.

All members were present. Minutes of the meeting of March 13th were read and approved.

Motion made by Jackson and seconded by Brink that the following be adopted: Allowance to St. Paul Book & Sta. Co.

Wm. H. Dudley Visual sub. \$13.58
Ed Service, trans. exp. 3.57
Schoastic Publications, sub. 1.00
Standard Oil Co., fuel oil 5.06

Co. lights and power 10.55
Also for Supplemental membership 25.00
Minnesota Public Music 5.00
Edward Eng, trucking 5.00

Highland, freight 5.54
L. Holm 5 cords wood 12.25
M. Nelson, oil 3.25
Tolls 3.25
Tom Grogan, stove pipes 1.50

Motion carried. Motion made by Beebe and seconded by Brink that the school employees must take the Manifest test and if found positive be removed.

No further business. Motion for adjournment carried. H. L. HOLMES, Clerk.

DRAY

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lindquist and George spent Wednesday evening visiting at the home of Mrs. S. N. Olson.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Olson, Joyce, Vivian and Clifford were guests at the Walter Olson home at St. Hilaire.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Johnson and family, Mrs. Sun-Anderson and family were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. O. K. Servis.

The Ladies Aid met at the C. R. Melh home Tuesday. The following new officers were elected: President, Mrs. J. E. Johnson; Vice President, Mrs. C. R. Melh; Secretary, Gladys Person; Treasurer, Mrs. Victor Johnson. Program committee: Mrs. Oscar Nordbeck, Mrs. LeRoy Scholl, Mrs. Martin Erickson, Mrs. John Scholl, Dean, acting committee: Mrs. B. Melh, Mrs. A. M. Sorvig, Mrs. J. O. Swanson.

Flower committee: Mrs. A. G. Hallstrom, Mrs. John Napin, Mrs. Glen Lindquist, Mrs. Carl Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Schatz and family were Sunday guests visiting with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Swanson at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Vieland.

Robert, Lois and family, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Schatz and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Vieland, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Peterson, Mrs. Eber Conklin and infant son returned home from the home of Mrs. J. A. Erickson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Erickson and family returned home from a week-end visit at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Swanson at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Vieland.

FINISH PLANS FOR PHOSPHATE TESTS IN PENNINGTON CO.

Very good progress has been made with the program to test phosphate fertilizer on farm lands in Pennington County this year, Howard E. Grow, county agent, said today.

Mr. Grow states that a complete record has been kept so far for each farm to cover a five year period, and that the results of the tests will be available in the near future.

The regulation for the amount of fertilizer was submitted on March 25, and Mr. Grow reports that on March 25 he received the approval of 50,000 tons of calcium superphosphate for the county for 1940. This will be an average of over three tons of fertilizer per farm.

The fertilizer to be supplied by the Tennessee Valley Authority will be 30 per cent phosphate. It will be applied at the rate of 100 pounds to 150 pounds per acre, depending on the number of years before the land will be used for a crop.

The fertilizer will be shipped from Alabama and will arrive here April 25.

FOUR FARM SALES ARE SLATED FOR THE COMING WEEK

Another sign of the advent of spring is found in the numerous farm sales being held in this section of the Times, no less than a dozen in the last week.

On the following day, the following sales will be held: On Monday, April 2, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reeves, 14 miles east of Hazel, Minn., a fine lot of cattle, horses and machinery on his farm 4 1/2 miles north and 1/2 mile west of Hazel.

M. J. Thengs will sell a large lot of farm machinery, including a combine, reaper, mower, and other implements, on his farm 1/2 mile west of Hazel, Minn., on Thursday, April 4, 3 o'clock.

On Friday, April 5, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Storgren, 5 miles southeast of the city on the Angle road, a fine lot of cattle, horses and machinery will be sold.

BLACK RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hallstrom and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Naplin attended the Saccharine services held at the A. C. at Hazel, Minn., on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Kolstad and daughter, Iris, of Baudeville, Minn., visited on Sunday at the E. L. Larson home.

Sunday visitors at the Ed. Grogan home were Harry Johnson, Bill Adolphson and Reuben Svenson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sweet and daughter Faye Eunice of Edred spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. O. K. Servis.

Misses Vera, Laura and Olive Almquist of Grand Forks spent the Easter holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jens Almquist. The two former are teaching school near Grand Forks and Olive is employed in the city of Grand Forks.

Miss Evangeline Hallstrom was an over-night guest Sunday at the home of Mrs. Swan Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter and Joan, Mrs. V. G. Brink and Mr. and Mrs. Gunnar Lindquist were Crookston callers on Thursday.

From Crookston they visited briefly at the F. W. Sweet home. Bakke is visiting a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lindquist and Miss Elsie Hendrickson were dinner guests on Easter Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gunnar Lindquist.

Misses Frank and Doris Haglund returned to Mondak on Monday after spending the week-end at their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Anderson and Maria were supper guests on Monday at the Claus Adolphson home near Wylie.

Free Adult Education Classes are Open to People of Local Area

The adult education program of the Works Progress Administration, sponsored by the state department of education is conducting classes for the general adult public in the Thief River Falls area, according to Theodore C. Laetle, supervisor of the program.

A variety of cultural and academic offerings are a feature of the educational opportunities being offered the general public, all of the offerings of this program are free of charge.

Any adult sixteen years of age or over is eligible for membership in any of the classes. The classes are under the supervision of Mrs. Lillian Knutson who reside at 116 Riverside Avenue, Phone 906. Further information can be obtained from her.

111 DIPLOMAS TO BE GIVEN AT N. W. SCHOOL TONIGHT

Graduation exercises, labeled for Thursday evening, March 28, will bring to a close the sixth year of the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston.

P. E. Miller, director of agricultural extension work in the state of Minnesota, will give the commencement address. Superintendent W. M. McCall announced that one hundred and eleven diplomas will be given to graduates.

At the regular course, thirty certificates of graduation will be given to advanced students and nine business training certificates will be awarded.

Commencement week activities started with the annual Senior Day on Thursday, March 21, at which time the senior students gave an annual assembly and banquet program and distributed their class year book. The reception to the graduates, given by Superintendent W. M. McCall, was held at their home on Sunday, March 24.

The Reverend W. H. Reeves, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Crookston, gave the benediction at the graduation exercises. The program of the evening was: Junior music recital, March 25; get-together dinner and Senior music recital, March 27; and class exercises on Thursday, March 28, preceding Commencement.

Shortage of Trained Tailors

There is a shortage of trained tailors for well-paid government jobs in South Africa. The job requires four years' university training. The shortage is all the more serious because government tailors cannot be brought in from overseas.

Pygmalion Was Sculptor

In Greek myth Pygmalion was a sculptor and King of Cyprus, who, though he hated women, fell in love with his own ivory statue of Aphrodite. At his earnest prayer the goddess gave life to the statue and he married it.

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FLORAL ORDERS GIVEN PROMPT ATTENTION

FINAL RESULTS OF TOWNSHIP VOTING FILED THIS WEEK

Results were received and the past week in the county auditor's office from the remaining townships in connection with the annual town elections held recently. Officers were elected and levies voted as follows:

Silverton: Carl Berggren, supervisor; Victor J. Swanson, clerk; Levy: Town revenue, \$350; road and bridge, \$200; road and bridge, \$200.

Highland: Christ Val, supervisor; Charles Berggren, clerk; 26 Kendall, Jr., justice; Leon Mahon, constable; Levy: Town revenue, \$200; road and bridge, \$200; road and bridge, \$200.

History: Ole J. Olson, chairman; Thore Skomedal, supervisor; Maurice Lille and Justice; Levy: Town revenue, \$200; road and bridge, \$200; road and bridge, \$200.

Banders: Nels B. Swanson, supervisor; Walter Carlson, clerk; Levy: Town revenue, \$350; road and bridge, \$200; road and bridge, \$200.

Star: Alf Locken, supervisor; J. O. Hefstad, clerk; Levy: Town revenue, \$200; road and bridge, \$200; road and bridge, \$200.

Dr. Glenn Frank Will be Speaker at State Young GOP Meeting in St. Paul

Dr. Glen Frank, former president of the University of Wisconsin and present Chairman of the Program Committee of the Republican National Convention, will come to Minnesota to address this week. The program committee of the Young Republican League of Minnesota to hold its St. Paul on April 6, 1940, officers of the League announced this week. The program committee, headed by Dr. Frank, has recently conducted a comprehensive study of conditions and trends throughout the country and has submitted a report to the program committee of the Republican Party for the coming campaign.

It is expected that Dr. Frank will discuss this report in his address to the convention.

FOR SALE—A 1928 model Chevrolet coach at \$55.00 cash taken in once. Call on or address Sam Wahlbeck, Rt. 3, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

FOR SALE—The following items of household furniture are offered for sale at private sale: 1 dresser, chiffonier, single bed mattress, 1 wooden bedstead, combination writing desk, dining table, 6 chairs, 10 chairs, 10 chairs, 10 chairs, 1 stand and various other items. If interested, call on or address Dr. Frank at Hillen & Olson oil station, St. Hilaire.

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LOCAL YOUTH WINS IN DECLAMATION CONTEST

In the regional declamation contest for district No. 8, comprising northwestern Minnesota, held Tuesday this week at Thief River Falls, Robert Kirk, senior student of St. Hilaire high school, won a superior rating in original oratory. (Kirk) won the right to represent this school at the regional meeting by receiving a similar rating at the district declamatory contest held March 2nd, at Crookston.

Other northwestern Minnesota schools having winners in the regional contest were Karlstad, Kennedy, Fertile, Park Rapids, Malmonen and Holt. The regional meet is final in matter of competition as there is no state declamatory contest.

Each school having a contestant securing a superior rating is given a bronze plaque, and individual medals are presented to the winning contestants.

FIRE DESTROYS COUNTY HOSPITAL

Three inmates of the Grand Forks county hospital situated at Arvilla, west of Grand Forks, lost their lives Friday when fire destroyed the three story brick veneered building. The fire started about eight other inmates out in the snow. The three aged persons who lost their lives were trapped in their rooms on the third floor of the building. Another aged inmate, died Monday, death likely being caused by exposure and excitement during course of the fire. Temporary quarters for the survivors have been secured in an unused hotel building at Larimore. Substantial gifts of clothing, food and other necessities were rushed out from Grand Forks and all the inmates of the home are now settled in the hotel building at Larimore.

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P. T. A. MEETS APRIL 12

Next meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association will be held Friday, April 12, and the following program given: Music by Miss Fern Barnett and four pupils. One-act Comedy "Hot Biscuits" with cast: Walter Rolf Wollin, Teddy Klennas, Gladys Koss, Mrs. M. H. Jackson, Marion Erickson, Gertrude Hall, Grace Erickson, Miss Amy St. Clair, Ardis Mills, Christopher Long, Jr., Garmo Jensen.

BRECKENRIDGE WINS STATE CAGE TITLE

Before a frenzied crowd of 10,000 wildly cheering fans, Breckenridge high school took the first state basketball championship in its history when it beat Red Wing, 43-40, in the final of the 28th annual tournament at St. Paul last Saturday night.

The hard fighting Red Wing pulled out an early lead, but were forced to yield to smooth working Breckenridge Cowboys before end of the first quarter. Though close at times, Breckenridge never relinquished its lead during balance of the game. A belated rally by Red Wing during the last few minutes of play netted them five points.

A rousing homecoming celebration was staged at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at Breckenridge with Walopon and nearby towns assisting, as the team returned home bringing with them the 1940 championship and trophy.

RIVER PROJECT GROUP MEET

The River Group of the Home-Prever, demonstrated work met Wednesday at the Henry Burstad home. This group is now organizing a party at the home of the town ship chairman, Mrs. Fred Erdman, with 15 members.

The Wednesday meeting was presided over by the chairman, Mrs. Clarence Erickson, who read the home maker's creed. Secretary Mrs. Clarence Kraft read the report of previous meeting and roll call. There were 17 members present. The lesson was given by the leaders, Mrs. Fred Erdman and Miss Mabel Swanson, the lesson being on "Good taste in dress."

Lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. Henry Burstad, assisted by Mrs. Geo. Haupt and daughter, Marian; Mrs. Martin Haupt, and Mrs. Herman Burstad. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Jennie Swanson.

Because of condition of the roads which makes bus service both uncertain and hazardous, the local school was closed today and will very likely be closed for the balance of the week. It is expected by Monday the roads will be in such shape that there will be no danger in operating the heavily loaded busses over them.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Several parties have reported seeing robins this week.

Ed. Moren is driving a new Plymouth coupe purchased this week.

"Bud" Cecil, who had been employed at the De Drop Inn, left Monday for his home at Oslo.

Wm. Engh moved his house car out today to a place north of town where he will cut this spring.

Remember to view the partial eclipse of the sun from 2:30 to about 5:00 next Sunday afternoon.

Beautiful Spinet piano, service for quick sale. Must sell at once. Can be seen in vicinity. Write J. S. Ryan, Grand Forks, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Brink, who have spent the winter months in California, are expected to return home about the middle of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Birden Anderson, who have wintered in California, are enroute home, according to word received by Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Highland.

Madames M. Highland, M. Volden, E. Rosendahl, S. Olsson, K. Kolesod, O. Hauge and Misses Irene Volden and Lisa Erickson helped Mrs. O. K. Olson celebrate her birthday anniversary, Friday, March 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Carter and daughter, Janice of Smiley, and Grandma Carter of St. Cloud were Sunday guests at the J. L. Lemky home. In the afternoon Mrs. Carter and daughter, with Frederick Erdman as driver, left for Detroit, Lakes where the ladies took a bus for St. Cloud to visit relatives for two weeks.

Co. Commissioner Paul Roy was at Thief River Falls both Tuesday and yesterday to preside at monthly meeting of the county board.

Paul Olson left Saturday to again be employed in the work camp at Lake Bronson after spending most of the winter here.

Non-resident members of the teaching staff are taking advantage of the two-day vacation today and tomorrow to spend a week-end at their respective homes.

Friends of Rev. M. L. Dahle will be pleased to know his condition is showing gradual improvement, and he hopes to be about again in a short time.

Mrs. W. J. Janda returned Sunday from Minneapolis where she had visited with her daughter, Ellen, student nurse at the University.

M. R. Graham and Richard Larson returned Saturday from St. Paul where they had attended to business matters in connection with the local school district.

Dr. D. S. Horn of Ulen plans to resume making regular visits to St. Hilaire this coming spring and summer. Unless change is made later, his next visit will be April 15 and 17.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Olson and family were at Thief River, March 24th, for a visit at the home of Mr. Olson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erick Olson, whose 50th wedding anniversary was that day.

A packed school assembly greeted appearance of the Mississippi Four, colored quartette, for their sacred concert at the school building last Sunday morning. The program was very well rendered, and a delight to all who heard it.

MRS. CHAS. W. ERICKSON DIES

Mrs. Stella Erickson, age 65, wife of Rev. Charles W. Erickson, pastor of the Swedish Lutheran church at Thief River Falls, died yesterday at her home after an illness of several months.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 P. M. in the Trinity Lutheran church at Thief River, and the body will be taken to St. Peter, Minn., where final rites will be held Sunday. Mrs. Erickson was born in 1875 near St. Peter. Besides her husband, she is survived by four sons; two daughters, her father who resides at St. Peter, and by five brothers and sisters.

ENUMERATORS BEGIN POPULATION COUNT

Tests and examinations for the applicants for positions as enumerators in this district of Minnesota for the 1940 census, were completed last week at Thief River Falls. Following a two-day school of instruction ending Friday, those qualified for appointment were notified to appear Tuesday for supplies and examinations. Persons beginning their work of counting the heads in Uncle Sam's farm and to gather such other information as is necessary every ten year period.

Iver H. Iverson of Rockabury was assigned to the village of St. Hilaire and township of River Falls, and started work in the village Tuesday noon. There will no doubt be some changes made in assignments as the work gets under way this week.

Contrary to report circulated in the district of the daily papers, there are no embarrassing questions asked by the enumerators as to any public utility given individual school, consequently the enumerators are entitled to every courtesy possible in their task of gathering the vast amount of information called for by the federal census.

MANY HEAR G-A CHOIR
Many people from this section of the county were at Thief River Falls last Sunday evening to hear the Gustavus Adolphus College Choir in concert at the municipal auditorium. The choir appeared under direction of G. Adolph Nelson, noted conductor and composer.

Appearance of the choir in this county was of especial interest to many local people since two of its members, Mary Jane Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Johnson, and Douglas Larson, son of Rev. and Mrs. H. Larson, are from here.

ORANGE TEAM WINS

At a meeting of the whist tournament last night, the Orange team noosed out its opponents by a narrow margin of two points and the series. The playoff, and final game for this season, will be held two weeks hence, April 17th.

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Saturday, April 6th

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R. A. Larson, Pastor

Black River, Saturday, 9 a. m.

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Henry Miller's

Sunday 10:00 a. m. Sunday

school, 11:00 a. m. Service.

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DO DROP INN SOLD

Joe Michalek, who had oper-

ated the Do Drop Inn and dance

hall since last spring, sold the

place to the place last week

to Dave Strom of Dubuque,

Iowa, who has assumed charge.

The place is now being redecor-

ated, and some other improve-

ments are contemplated. The

place has now been leased to

some young men employed by Mont-

gomery Ward & Co. at their

Dubuque, Iowa store. His par-

ents reside at Thief River Falls.

Mr. Strom is married and has

one child. As soon as quarters

can be found, he and his family

will establish their home in the

village.

BRAY

The following guests visited

at the Emil Larson home Sun-

day Mr. and Mrs. Emil Hal-

land of Frazer, Esther and El-

izabeth Helten, Thomas Yeto-

son of Thief River Falls and

Archie Anderson of Nunda-

la.

Wilbert Swanson and Ben-

jamin Scholten came home Thurs-

day after completing their term at

the A. C. at Crookston.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Peter-

son of Orrin, and Mrs. August

Anderson of Thief River Falls were

Sunday visitors at Ted Anderson's.

The following young folks

gave a program at the Oakland

Park Sanatorium at Thief River

Falls Wednesday evening:

Pearl and Agnes Anderson,

Vernon and Arthur Anderson,

Marie Erickson and Raymond

Sorgie.

Laura Anderson has accept-

ed a position in Thief River

Falls. She started work Thurs-

day.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Scholz

entertained the following Sat-

urday evening: Mr. and Mrs.

John Steiger and family, Mr.

and Mrs. Christ Kruse and

family, Mr. and Mrs. Alex

Swanson and family and Mr.

and Mrs. John Viegut.

Paul Thyrren, Vanette and

Evelyn of Hazel visited at John

Scholten's Thursday afternoon.

Heleen and Clifford Olson ac-

companied Mr. and Mrs. A. J.

Johnson motored to

Grand Forks Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Johnson

and Mrs. and Mrs. Christ

Kruse and family, Mr. and

Mrs. Alex Swanson attended a

birthday party in honor of Rev.

John Scholten at Thief River

Falls Friday evening.

Carl Mosbeck spent the

weekend visiting at the R. M.

Larson home at Thief River

Falls.

BLACK RIVER

Hazel, Bill and Hilding

Adolphson visited Saturday

evening at the home of Mrs.

Swanson.

Miss Alvina Olson who is

employed at Thief River Falls

visited last week at the home

of her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Ed. Olson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter

and Mr. and Mrs. Joe King and

Miss Agnes King were Thurs-

day visitors at the home of Mr.

and Mrs. Gunder Lindquist.

Miss Myrtle Person spent

Wednesday and Thursday visit-

THREE LOSE LIVES

IN HOSPITAL BLAZE

AT ARVILLA, N. D.

Three inmates of the Grand

Forks county hospital are dead

as a result of a fire which broke

out in the hospital building

at Arvilla, N. D., last night.

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MINNESOTA ADOPTS NEW HIGHWAY MARK

Minnesota's method of marking no-passing zones by special lines painted on highway surfaces, inaugurated last year with marked success, has been adopted nationally, but with some revisions which necessitate changes on the state's trunk highways this year in order to comply with national standards. Thirty-seven states have adopted the plan, which will be put into effect in Minnesota this summer.

Under last year's system, center lines were either black or yellow, "no-passing" zone barrier lines were white, and the new uniform system, ultimately all center lines will be either white or black, solid or broken. All "no-passing" zone barrier lines will be marked by solid yellow stripes, running parallel to the normal center line.

Since Minnesota has a big investment in lines and signs, it is planned to use them until they are damaged by traffic wear. This will result in some confusion during the 1940 travel season. However, the "no-passing" rule is simple and easily understood whether old or new, and will be strictly enforced. By 1941 the markings in this state will be exactly the same as in the thirty-seven states that have adopted the uniform plan.

THANKS EVERYBODY

As census enumerator for St. Hilaire, I have completed work in the village and wish to thank each and all of its citizens for the courtesy and consideration shown me in connection with the enumeration. It has been a real pleasure for me to call on you all, and to meet with the same cordiality everywhere I went.

I. H. Iverson.

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EUROPEAN CONFLICT SHIFTS

Starting developments have occurred during the past week in the theater of war in Europe. German forces have taken over Denmark and have landed forces at all the important seaports in Norway. Considered bulletins from the news gathering agencies, as well as the radio reports, vary so much that the true situation is more or less clouded in mystery, but one fact remains and that is increasingly furious naval engagements are being waged between German and Allied forces for control of the coastal cities of Norway and waters around the Scandinavian countries.

25 Years Ago

25 YEARS AGO
From 1915 Spectator Files
I was out of the river both above and below the dam, and farmers were working in the fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Aldrich closed the Central hotel and departed with their household effects for their former home at Bemidji.

The Engeström sawmill, near the north bridge, commenced work that week at cleaning up all boom timber and sawing logs left over from previous season.

Petitions were being circulated asking for a county option election in Pennington county. It was rumored a similar move was contemplated in Red Lake county.

One Torsen, age 89, pioneer settler of Bray township, died that week at the home of his son-in-law, Neils K. Anderson.

A. S. Wilson was president of the incoming village council that took office that week following spring election.

LIEN LAW UPHELD

In an action brought recently in court at Little Falls to test validity of the old age assistance homestead lien law, Judge J. M. Cannon handed down a decision upholding constitutionality of the highly controversial measure. It is quite likely the matter will go to the state supreme court for final decision.

Friends here have received announcement of the birth of a son on April 2nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Ted Meyers of Ladocum, Ill. This is the second son born to Mr. and Mrs. Meyers. Before her marriage, Mrs. Meyers was Miss Ruth Lee, member of the local high school faculty.

About half of the basement walls for the new granarium building were poured this week. Soon as the mixture hardens enough, the forms will be taken down and re-set for balance of the walls. The work is being delayed somewhat by cold weather which makes heating of the forms necessary.

They're Off



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Cleve Bergquist is driving a new car purchased a few days ago.

Following an illness of about three weeks, Rev. M. L. Dahle is able to be around again.

The old saying "Early Easter early spring" does not seem to work out just right this year.

The interior of the Do Drop Inn has been repainted this week, and a new set of booths is to be installed which will further add to the appearance of the place.

The N. L. Ladies Aid will be entertained by Mrs. A. V. Jacobson, Mrs. Oscar Hange and Mrs. O. Haglund at the church parlors, Friday, April 13.

The village culvert opening outfit, consisting of a small steam boiler mounted on a truck, has been busy the past week opening frozen culverts and draining out surplus water.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Atcheson and wife were called yesterday to their former home at Winnetka by death of Mr. Atcheson's father. A relief agent is in charge at the local G. N. station until they return.

Many people in this section who had anticipated viewing partial eclipse of the sun last Sunday were disappointed when the sky was overcast all day. For a few fleeting seconds during mid-afternoon, the sky cleared so the eclipse was visible to those who happened to look at that brief time.

The local creamery had the largest production of butter during March this year of any March since the creamery was organized nearly forty years ago. If pastures come on fairly soon and grass is of sufficient quantity, indications are 1940 will be the banner year in the history of the creamery.

GOLDEN JUBILEE PARTY

The fiftieth anniversary of Federated Clubs will be observed by the local Women's Club by a Golden Jubilee party at Thursday evening, April 13. Each member will bring an entire guest, and the entire group will be attired in styles of past years. Much hustling around has been done the past two weeks to secure the necessary costumes which will range in age from ten to fifty years.

Because of road conditions which made bus operation very difficult, the local school was closed Monday this week in addition to Thursday and Friday of last week. All buses operated on schedule Tuesday, and no further difficulty is anticipated for this spring.

BLACK RIVER

Miss Hilda Hendrickson is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Brink.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Anderson are the proud parents of a baby daughter born to them on Wednesday April 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson, Elaine Jeanette, Miss Ethel Wick and Ed. Morin visited on Saturday at the home of Mrs. Swan Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter, John and Jack, Mrs. Martin Erickson and Rudolph visited on Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gunnar Lindquist.

Ruby Landmann, Marlin Roy and Olive Kie, Elaine and Robert Avelon spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Rudy Landmann who is a patient at the St. Hilaire Falls hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunnar Lindquist visited Saturday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle of St. Hilaire.

Mr. Christine Bakko returned to the Lindquist home on Tuesday after spending a week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter.

FINDS CASH LOST

THREE YEARS AGO
Sleepy Eye—Three years ago Nils Ronslett lost his pocketbook containing \$425. Recently he decided to try a flyer in his chicken coop. To do so he had to rip out several walls beside close to the floor. There nestled pinned in the insulation between the walls, was his pocketbook, cash and all, still in the best of condition. Apparently, it was dropped three years ago when the building was erected.

FARMERS PROUD

OF LARGE EGGS
Park Rapids—Three unusually large chicken eggs recently made their appearance in this vicinity. Largest is an egg laid by a White Leghorn in the flock of Marvin Frank. It measures 5 1/2 by 4 1/2 inches. Next largest was laid by a White Jersey Giant in the flock of Jack Becker. Its size is 6 1/2 by 4 1/2 inches. Third in line is the offering of another White Jersey Giant owned by Mrs. Paul Carvey, measuring 6 1/2 by 4 1/2 inches.

4-H BANQUET SET FOR WEDNESDAY, APR. 17

For the fourth consecutive year the Civic and Commerce association of St. Hilaire Falls will be host to 4-H club members and adult leaders at a banquet to be held Wednesday evening, April 17.

Robert Lund will take charge of the program for the evening. Roy Oen, chairman of the Agricultural Committee of the Civic and Commerce Association, will speak for the association. A response from the club members and leaders will be given by Bernice Halvorson of the Steiner club.

R. M. Douglass, former county agent of Pennington County and now district county agent leader of the northwest district, will be the speaker of the evening. Entertainment features will be furnished by the various clubs of the county. Miss Ruth Hanson and H. P. Harrison will direct communique singing.

Admission will be given to several club members in recognition of outstanding work done during the 1939 club year. Certificates of leadership will be presented adult leaders in appreciation for their help with the 4-H clubs. Miss Anne Thoresen, district club agent, will assist with the presentation of these awards.

VOLLOM SPEAKS TO CLUB

Thomas Volloom of Eskrine, manager of the Garden Valley Telephone Company and the company's lineman for this district, Mr. Hanson of Red Lake Falls, were guests of the St. Hilaire Falls 4-H club at its regular meeting held Monday night, April 8th. Volloom, who has had many experiences as speaker and lecturer, gave a very interesting talk on history of the Garden Valley company which he has managed for twenty-two years. From a small beginning as a line between neighbors, the company has grown until it now serves nearly 6000 patrons, and is the largest telephone system of its kind in this section of the country.

Valuable Dollars
The purchasing power of the dollar has been reduced in the past 10 years, economists say. In 1930, for example, a dollar was worth the equivalent of \$2.12 in 1939. In war and post-war years its purchasing power varies widely.

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The sun suit consists of a top and bottom, and is perfectly straight in the front.



1928-B

The yoke of the dress is extended into wings of kimono sleeves, and rows of broad trim every possible edge of both the frock and the bonnet. Simple as it is, the pattern includes a step-by-step new chart as well as complete directions. Gingham, seersucker, percale and chambray are all colors which are particularly nice for tots' play time like this.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Release of Polish 'Documents' Creates Furore in Washington; Hull, Bullitt Deny Nazi Charge

EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.

HITLER SAYS:

The Roosevelt administration indignantly denied spectacular charges by Germany. Herr Ribbentrop's aggressive Foreign Office charged that it had possession of 18 crucial documents, found in the Polish government archives at captured Warsaw.

President Roosevelt, Secretary Hull, and Bullitt hastened to deny the accusations, as storm clouds gathered over America. Roosevelt talked about taking it all with "three" grains of salt. Hull made a flat denial, Bullitt and the Polish ambassador to the United States, both said no-no in the news of the week.

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let it be known, to take a more active part in pushing the war, and there was a lot of gossip about Chamberlain being the way of the world. Due to British naval losses, there was also talk of the use of Winston Churchill, first lord of the admiralty.

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Of Tokyo, capital of the Japanese empire of Nippon, came a report that the Japanese government had approved the Japanese world's second ship, with New York first, and London third. London, formerly first, was now second, and the Japanese government, by wholesale evacuations, blockades, and other means, had been able to force Berlin to sit still, and verminous Warsaw had been taken by the Japanese since the war began.

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MON-MONEY:

The house slipped through a more billion dollar Labor-Security appropriation, voted down about a quarter of a million for the allied National Labor Relations board, which has been getting a party of its own, and approved \$17,450,000 for the National Youth Administration. The Civilian Conservation corps, one New Deal institution generally approved by Tories and pinkies alike, stood for \$10,000,000 was given of government.

The President got back to his old desk after a lengthy visit to the front. He talked to Sumner Welles, secretary of State, and gave out indications of pessimism as to any further progress. The President himself that he did not want peace, but he wanted a peace by a knockout. Senator Vandenberg, who is a member of the Senate, was by the side of the President. Senator Taft himself, a statement which many call political, is a statement which many call political.

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DUPICATE SOCIAL SECURITY CARDS

Wage earners who have lost their social security account number cards may now obtain duplicates from the Bemidji field office of the Social Security Board, Frank H. Daly, manager, announced today. The Bemidji office will issue duplicates, upon proper identification, to workers who have lost their cards.

This service to workers who have lost their cards has been established to help them obtain employment. Reports from all parts of the country indicate, Mr. Daly explained, that employers are giving preference to job applicants having account number cards. The employee is required to include both the worker's name and his account number in periodic reports of the worker's wages which he files with the Treasury.

It will be necessary for the Bemidji field office to obtain the home address and full name and address of the employer of persons requesting duplicate cards. It was explained that this additional information is required so that, if it is found necessary, the field office can communicate with the wage earner or his employer.

WHITE TEAM WINS

In the final session of the whitest tournament for this season, held last night at the club room, the White team was victorious by a margin of about one hundred points. Prior to last night's meeting each team was credited with an equal number of games. After the meeting, lunch was served at the Redwood Inn.

Part of the foundation for the new school addition is finished, and the crew is now busy at moving forms in preparation for completing the job. It is expected the basement will be finished in about two weeks.

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AUBOL FARM SOLD

The Anton Aubol farm two miles north of the village on east side of the river, was sold last week to O. C. Gramon of Thief River Falls who will have possession in the near future. Walter Aubol, who has farmed the place for several years past, has a couple prospective locations in view east of Thief River and will move in a short time.

25 Years Ago

From 1915 Spectator Files
Neil Desmer, formerly with the Crookston Lumber Company here, died that week at his home at Crookston.

The local 'ball team dropped its first game of that season to Thief River Falls in a game on local grounds.

The Engler mill at Baudette, where many local men were employed, started its season's work on April 15th.

Mrs. Ida Johnson came from Crookston and made arrangements to re-open the Central hotel which she formerly operated here.

S. J. Amble was the latest purchaser of a car in the village, having bought a Ford from N. A. Nelson.

Carl Fredrickson, former resident here before moving to Thief River, dropped dead at his home in that city after suffering a heart attack.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of the village council held April 1st at the Spectator office at 8:00 P. M.

All members present except E. Gustafson.

On motion the following bills were adopted:

A. Rasmussen, police 3
dances \$12.00

Flamme, groc. for 6.50
O. Brannum, 2 mos. salary 10.00

Spectator, pub. proceed- 2.00
W. Engle, 7 hrs. labor 2.45

W. Status Power Co.
lights 94.94

On motion beer licenses were set at \$50.00 for "on sale" and \$50.00 for "off sale" for the coming year. Applications for beer licenses were received from Tom Grovum, Nickie Drees and David Strom. Motion made and carried that licenses be granted to above named applicants.

There being no further business, meeting adjourned.

ELMER JOHNSON, Clerk.

O. Gustafson, Pres.

In the river channel below the old race went out Sunday night and Monday. The ice above the race is heaven and cracked. A few warm days will bring down surface water from the drainage ditches in sufficient volume to clear the entire channel.

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Spring Training



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week. Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Dr. Horn, the dentist, has set his office at 15 N. 1st street west of St. Hilaire.

Regular monthly meeting of the school board was held at the school office Tuesday night.

E. O. Burke of Moorhead, former resident here, supervised a serious operation today at a Fargo hospital. Friends here will be pleased to know he came thru the ordeal well, and is showing some improvement.

Mrs. Geo. Bakke is back at her home in the village after spending the winter months with Mr. and Mrs. Guernsey Lindquist.

Mr. and Mrs. David Strom, proprietors of the Do Drop Inn, have leased the Carl Johnson residence property on Minnesota avenue.

Mrs. Mary Sherva is to be some son after spending the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Nelson at their home at Hibbing.

A splendid program was given at a meeting of the Parent-Teachers association at the school auditorium last Friday evening.

Members of the Senior class of the local high school are busy practicing their annual class play which will be given in the near future.

Reports have come in that some seedling has been done on the ridge lands west of the village. With favorable weather in the interim, seedling will get under way in this section in ten days and less in some places.

A baseball club benefit dance will be given Wednesday evening, April 24, at the Do Drop Inn dance pavilion. Everybody cordially invited to turn out and help boost the ball club. White orchestra will furnish music for the occasion.

Officers of the local Red Cross are at Crookston today attending a Red Cross regional meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Birdson Anderson are back after spending the winter months at Pecos, Calif.

Rev. M. L. Dahle has so far recovered from his recent illness that he can conduct services at the local church last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Boltman of Grand Forks were guests at the L. F. Olson home fore part of the week.

Mrs. Chas. Kunkert and son, Dwight, were up yesterday from Red Lake Falls attending to business matters and calling on friends.

There have been many inquiries this spring for farms to rent in this locality. Insofar as can be ascertained, every farm with inhabitable buildings is occupied.

The small creek at the Benson farm east of town has carried a heavy volume of water the past week. The big culvert at the outlet to the river ran full for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Aitchison and son, Delmer, returned Sunday evening from Winnipeg where they were called last week by death of Mr. Aitchison's father.

Joe Michalek and "Bud" Cecil were here yesterday from Alvarado. Mr. Michalek has leased the Ole Lobby farm northwest of town, and will operate it the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Sandberg of Grygla were guests here Sunday at the homes of their former neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Linn. Mr. Sandberg is in the farm implement business at Grygla.

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BENEFIT CARDS FOR ROAD CONDITIONS
A benefit waist and bridge party, proceeds to go to the baseball club, will be held Friday night this week at the Jackson hall. An admission of 25 cents will be charged. Liberal prizes will be awarded, and lunch will be served. Everybody welcome.

SCHEDULE PROJECT MEETS

The extension nutritional Insd House will meet the project leaders for the first meeting of the project on Tuesday, April 23, in the Civic and Commerce room in Thief River Falls, Wednesday, April 24, in the Methodist Church at St. Hilaire, and Thursday, April 25, in the Payne building in Goodridge.

The Thief River Falls meeting will be attended by the leaders of the Numedal, Nord, North and 11, Steiner 1 and 11, Silverton, Smiley 1 and Thief River Falls 1, II and III groups.

The leaders of the Rockbury 1 and II, Smiley II, Hazel, Wadsworth 1 and II, and St. Hilaire 1, II and III groups will meet in St. Hilaire.

The next meeting will be for the leaders of the Mavie, Kneka, Highland 1 and II, Star 1, II, Goodridge Village, and Goodridge township groups.

Each meeting will be from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Dr. D. S. Horn was up from Ulen both Tuesday and Wednesday this week to attend to his dental practice. He will make regular monthly visits here during the coming summer and fall.

Nickle Drees has started to tear out the interior of the second story of his Redwood Inn. He plans to rebuild the building into a one story structure with new foundations and floors, and will have attached living rooms in the rear.

BACK FROM CALIFORNIA
Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Brink returned yesterday after having spent the past winter with relatives at Fresno, Calif. They came by way of Montana where they visited with Mr. Brink's brothers, Tudy and Elmer.

They were accompanied back by Felix Anderson and daughter, Gladys, who went out with them, and by Tina Adolphson of Fresno who will spend the summer here.

ATTEND 4-H BANQUET
Many 4-H Club members from this section of the county were present last evening at the annual 4-H banquet given by the Civic and Commerce Association of Thief River Falls in that city. Among the speakers on the program was R. M. Douglas, former county agent of this county. The banquet has been an annual event for four years, and one looked forward to by club members.

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IMPROVE THIS WEEK

With spring breakup under way, road conditions throughout the state and county are in fair to good condition. Side roads, especially those unimproved, are in poor shape and will continue so until frost is out so they can settle and pack again.

T. H. No. 32 between here and Red Lake Falls is badly cut in spots, due to heavy truck traffic. The state highway department will post bond limit signs on the trunk roads in a few days.

COUNTY CONVENTION

A Republican County Convention will be held at the Civic and Commerce rooms in the municipal auditorium in Thief River Falls at 2 o'clock Tuesday, May 7 to elect delegates and alternates to the district and state conventions.

Primaries for election of delegates to kind county convention will be held in the various election districts or precincts of the county on Wednesday, May 1st between the hours of 7:00 and 9:00 P. M., and at regular polling places.

Each election district is entitled to one delegate at large and one additional delegate for each 25 votes cast by said election district or precinct for the Republican candidate for Governor in the 1938 General Election.

St. Hilaire is entitled to 4 delegates; Thief River Falls to 2; Rockbury to 6; Back River 2; Polk Center 1; Sanders 1; Wyandotte 2; and Bray 2 from this part of the county.

James Dredahl, former resident of Vylis, has bills out for an auction sale at his place in Sec. II of Grygla, eight miles east of Red Lake Falls, and five miles north of Terrebonne, to be held next Tuesday, April 23.

He will sell three horses, eight head of cattle and a complete set of farm machinery and other articles. Jim plans to take a vacation the coming summer before embarking upon any new venture.

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Saturday, April 20th

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Bruchart's Washington Digest

Congress Avoids Vital Problems
And Seeks Early Adjournment

Curtailed of Expenditures and New Tax Program Are
Neglected by Legislators Because of 1940
National Elections.

By WILLIAM BRUCHART

WNU Service, President Roosevelt's

Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON.—When the third

session of the Seventy-sixth con-

gress—the current session began—

last January, two great na-

tional questions confronted the

legislators. Two affirmative ac-

tions were crying to be taken. These

were curtailment of expenditures to

live within the government's income

and an increase in taxes to make a

start toward paying of the greatest

debt this nation ever has known.

Each was vital. Of the two, the

curtailment probably was the more

important, because it was a question

of national existence.

For most of the month of the

session was wasted away, after the

maneuver of passing bills.

The two problems of January and

February and March and April remain

at it. I believe it can be said that

there will be an adjournment

early in June.

Without anything having been done

beyond by service.

and just plain demerit.

In other words, the

legislators, the rather

large bill—the third session of the

Seventy-sixth congress can well be

characterized as "a nothing session."

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TO HAVE CLINIC FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN

Medical examination, arrangements for hospitalization and field nursing services are among the benefits which needy crippled children of this district will receive thru the orthopedic clinic to be held at Thief River Falls, May 11. Conducted for the third successive year, this clinic will serve Kittson, Marshall, Roseau, Pennington and Red Lake counties. The clinic will be held in the High School with registration hours from 8:30 A. M. to 3:30 P. M.

Patients attending clinic for the first time should have a letter of referral from their family physicians. The facilities of the clinic are available to all crippled children who are unable financially to provide private orthopedic care. Cooperating with the Bureau for Crippled Children is the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation of the State Department of Education, the staff of the State Hospital, and the Minnesota Public Health Association.

GOLDEN JUBILEE PARTY
The Golden Jubilee party of the Woman's Club given at the hall last Thursday evening proved the most delightful and it was a "dress-up" party with each member requested to wear a gown from previous years. Gowns of all ages and colors were in evidence; there being three wedding gowns, one member wearing her own white silk gown at her wedding twenty-five years ago. Talks were given on each lady present on their ensembles. Former presidents of the club present were Mrs. E. N. Reiersgaard of Foston; Mrs. J. A. Hansen, Le F. Olson and Mrs. M. H. Jackson. Mrs. W. A. Corbett is president at the present time. The party was served by a committee of club members at the close of the program.

NAME HONOR STUDENTS
Two boys of St. Hilaire high school lead the class of 1940 in scholastic honors. Sup. M. R. Graham announced that William Viers is Valedictorian, and Roger Roy is Salutatorian. Other honor students are Hazel Haglund and Robert Kirkwood. All these students have maintained an average of 92 or better during their four years of high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hanson and Mrs. H. A. Olson motored Sunday to Fargo to visit at the E. O. Burke home and to visit with Mr. Burke who is a patient in a hospital at Fargo. He is slowly regaining strength after his recent operation, and hopes to be able to return home soon. Upon returning here that evening, the party was accompanied by Mrs. B. E. Burke, who is getting her residence in order for her use the coming season. She spent the winter months at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Mars, at Minneapolis.

NORWEGIAN RELIEF
Donations for the relief of citizens of war-ravaged Norway will be received by the Pennington county chapter of the American Red Cross, Mrs. Mary W. Shaw, chairman, announced this week. She stated that residents of the St. Hilaire community may leave their contributions with Mrs. Jackson, local treasurer.

MOTION PICTURE MONDAY
"Am the Life," a beautiful life of Christ motion picture with Deagan Gimes music and comments by sound amplification will be presented at the St. Hilaire school next Monday, April 23 at 8:00 P. M. While no dialogue talking picture on the life of Christ has ever been produced to the present time, nevertheless this film differs from most films on this subject in its distinctively perfect art and crystal clear photography. This beautiful fifty minute picture is composed of sections of the magnificent "King of Kings" production by Cecil E. DeMille, which parts are not seen in this film. This picture will be presented in a reverent worship service with the local church and pastor cooperating with special music and Scripture readings. There will be no paid admission however, a liberal offering is requested. This program is open to the public, and a hearty welcome is extended to everyone.

MUSIC FESTIVAL SATURDAY
St. Hilaire high school will be represented in the Music Festival to be held in the high school building at Thief River Falls next Saturday, April 27. The Girls Glee Club will sing "A Violin is Singing in the Street" arr. by Alexander Koshetz. The Club is directed by Miss Grace Erickson.

The evening concert will be given a massed chorus and massed band. Roger Roy, Raymond Larson, Maria Erickson, Wanda Jacobson, Elsie Pearson and Alice Carpenter will appear in the massed chorus. Detail of the contest will be found on the posters to be placed about town later.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahl, with Vernon Lindquist as driver, motored yesterday to Glenwood for a visit with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dahle.

Mrs. H. F. Hanson, who spent the winter months at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Johnson at Thief River Falls, is back at her home here.

CLEANUP NOTICE
All property owners and occupants are requested to have all rubbish, ashes, etc., removed from their premises before the annual sanitary inspection May 10. Be considerate of your neighbors by not burning foul-smelling rubbish in the back yard. All who haul to the village dump are requested to drive in and dump toward the river, and NOT along the fences or highway.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Walter Aubol and family are preparing to move to a farm east of Thief River Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Young and children of Crookston spent Sunday here at the Robert Collins home.

Elmer Johnson and son, Stanley, motored Sunday to Marvel, N. D., and spent the day visiting with relatives.

P. A. Hallstrom of Polk Center was in Saturday to attend to business affairs, and to visit at the home of his son, Martin.

A Great Northern railway company track laying crew has been here for several days replacing steel in and near the village.

Mike Highland has improved the appearance of his Standard service station and the new addition built to it last fall, by a coat of paint.

William Eng received this week a new ten ton truck ordered early this spring. Bill will use it in connection with his wood business.

Robert Black returned Friday from Minneapolis where he attended a school police. Bob is a member of the police force at Thief River Falls.

The N. L. Ladies Aid will meet Friday, May 3d. Mrs. M. H. Highland, Mrs. Dahle and Mrs. Erickson Olson will entertain. Note: Members are requested to come early as the church is to be cleaned before the Aid.

The Tobin Seed Company, buyers and shippers of June grass seed, which operated in this territory last year, announces from its Kansas City office that it will operate here again this year on a greatly enlarged scale. Anyone having acreage of June grass seed to sell should contact this office.

SEEDING STARTED HERE
Fields throughout this part of the county, especially west of the river, are drying rapidly and sowing seed has been done. By end of this week seed sowing will be general. Farmers on the lower lands are disking and dragging their fields so they will be ready to seed. Farmers east of the river, where seeding is generally a week later than on the west side, expect to be in their fields next week.

IN COLLEGE PRODUCTION
George Wilson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson of Aurora, former residents of this village, will have a prominent part in Virginia Junior College Maquoket play "Broken Dishes" to be presented at Thief River Falls this week. George has had previous high school dramatic experience as he was a member of the cast that successfully presented Sinclair Lewis' "It Can't Happen Here" at the same school last fall. George is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Olson of this village.

James Komey and Robert Collins motored Monday to Browns Valley and returned last evening.

Mrs. Walter Olson returned Tuesday from Thief River Falls hospital where she received treatment for an infection.

The first baseball practice for this season was held at the hall last Sunday. The team expects to be in condition to schedule some games in May.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweet and daughter motored here Saturday evening from Eldred and spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Sweet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Brink.

Dr. Geo. Spofford, the Long Prairie optometrist, was here yesterday during the afternoon. Dr. Spofford will make regular visits to the village during the coming summer and fall.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Reiersgaard of Foston motored here Tuesday evening. Mr. Reiersgaard visited with friends while Mrs. Reiersgaard attended the jubilee party of the Woman's Club.

Mrs. Carl A. Nelson of Hibbing, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Mary Sherva, motored here yesterday. Mrs. Sherva had spent the past winter at the Nelson home and will occupy her residence here for the summer months.

Meadames J. A. Hansen, R. Larson, O. Gustaf and M. H. Jackson were at Crookston last Thursday to attend a regional meeting of the American Red Cross. Instruction on disaster relief such as fires, floods and storms were given by district officials.

GLEN C. ANDERSON DIES IN AUTO CRASH

Glen C. Anderson, son of former county auditor T. P. Anderson of Thief River Falls, was fatally injured about 6 o'clock Monday evening when he crashed into a ditch on road on P. H. No. 59 east of here, ran in the ditch for a distance of about a hundred feet before crashing into a culvert. Thrown clear of the car, Mr. Anderson was still alive when picked up by a truck, but died before reaching the hospital at Thief River, death being caused by a skull fracture.

Mr. Anderson, who was well known here, was returning to Thief River Falls when the accident occurred. Marks on the road indicate he lost control and swerved toward the left hand side of the road. In a desperate effort to regain control, the car swerved to the opposite side and into the ditch. Mr. Anderson is survived by his wife, two sons and a daughter, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Anderson of Thief River Falls, and by two brothers and four sisters.

ICE DAMAGES BRIDGES

The piling bridges at River Falls and Smiley on the Red Lake river east of here were severely damaged by ice jams last week as ice went out of the river channel. Efforts were made to dynamite the jams but there was insufficient explosive available to blast a channel to permit passage of the ice. The River Valley bridge was damaged so it had to be closed to traffic while that at Smiley went out. A number of large timbers and piling from the latter went through here. An effort will be made to gather the material from piling along the river to be used against construction and repair of the two bridges.

TAR COOKER BURNED

A tar cooking outfit used by the state highway department crew to prepare mix for repair on the old roads, caught fire Monday at the stock pile location north of the village. Huge clouds of dense smoke billowed from the pile and the fire was in progress. Aside from the cooker, which was ruined, no harm was done to other machinery on the ground.

DANCE

JOLLY GABBY
and His Orchestra
St. Hilaire, April 27th
New and Old Time Music
with loud speaking system
Admission 25 cents

Refrigerated Lockers

Our new cold storage locker plant is finished and in operation. A few compartments are still available.

Store your own meat, and call for it as needed. Cooling, cutting and packaging of meats for those who desire it.

Call at the creamery for any information desired.

St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery Association
St. Hilaire, Minn.

GRASS SEEDS

Our stock of seed is complete. Alfalfa, Clover, Timothy, Bromegrass, Crested wheat and many others. Examine our seeds, our prices and compare elsewhere. You will prove to your own satisfaction that we do sell for less. Ask for our new seed catalog.

Our weekly prize given on Friday will be a 100-lb. bag of Archers Chick Starter

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The Rescue of an Old Wicker Chair

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS

THIS chair, now so smart in its latest cover, hutton tufting and fringe trimmings, had escaped the trash burner. It had been such a comfortable chair that everyone hated to see it go. It was out-of-date and positively untidy. Someone suggested it might be covered. Mother said that wouldn't be a bad idea if it could be padded first. So she gave a brain wave, and out tumbled it. By pushing a long damping needle back and forth through the cover, padding and springing.

IN THE WICKER? She had been waiting a tumbled chair, as work began at once.

The sagging arm rest, magazine holder and footrest, after another the legs were removed. The chair was padded and covered, as shown, and a new seat cushion was added. The work was done by sewing through tightly with heavy curved thread; adding a button on each side of the stich.

NOTE: Detailed directions for changing an old iron into the latest style are given in Mrs. Spears' Book No. 3; also how to make "The Rug that Grew Up With the Family." Thirty other fascinating ideas for Homemakers, if you want to use this idea, better clip it out now for back numbers cannot be supplied. Don't delay in sending name and address with 10 cent order for Book No. 3. Send order to:

MAIL RUTH WYETH SPEARS
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St. Paul, Minn. 55101
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GAS SO BAD CROWDS HEART

Only breath was an enough and no more to be had. The air was so thick with gas that it was impossible to breathe. The people were crowded together, some sitting on the ground, others standing. The air was so thick with gas that it was impossible to breathe. The people were crowded together, some sitting on the ground, others standing.

Way of Literature

Literature does not please by scolding us; it mortifies us by causing it—pleases—Gardner.

THE AWFUL PRICE YOU PAY FOR BEING NERVOUS

Read These Important Facts

Over 100,000,000 people are suffering from nervousness. It is the most common of all ailments. It is the most common of all ailments. It is the most common of all ailments.

Weakness Revealed

What commonest nervous, drunk, nervous reveals.

Black Leaf 40 Kills

Many Insects

ON TOMATOES, PEPPERS, CUCUMBERS, ETC.

Domestic original contact killing, non-poisonous

SPECIAL BARGAINS

WHEN you see the specials of our merchandise announced in the columns of this paper you can depend on them. They mean bargains for you.

They are offered by merchants who are not inclined to overcharge their prices or the quality of the merchandise they offer.

WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON

Continued from page 1

Now young—One bright, sunny day in July, 1920, King Christ X of Denmark, mounted on a beautiful white horse, led his troops across a

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Bruckner's Washington Digest

Keeping Out of Europe's War Is Order of Business for U. S.

Conflict's Spread to Norway and Denmark Brings Problem Of Neutrality to Attention of Nation's Statesmen.

By WILLIAM BRUCKNER

WNT Service, National Press, Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON—More and more people seem to be expressing doubt that the United States can stay out of the new world war. One hears the talk in many quarters, official and unofficial, that it is

disturbing because so many seem to feel that the war is growing closer to us and that we are now taking the view that we cannot stay out.

To all of those who are saying this, William Bruckner appears to get the war which remains, as before, simply European, and to every one else I want to present this question:

Why is it necessary for us to get into it?

What is the question. It is not how we can stay out, but why should we?

There is no doubt, of course, that extension of the war, spread of the flames to Norway and Denmark

busches more American hearts. It is, indeed, but it would and can do many more hearts in the conflagration. Moreover, no of the United States is in the United States. We are in the United States. We are in the United States.

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Weller's appointment was announced, there was a great deal of uncorroborated gossip in Washington that the new world war was engineered by a little group of men in the White House. As usual, the so-called "insiders" had no knowledge of what the real fight was about.

As against the things that might cause trouble and thereby endanger our neutrality—It surely is a common sense thing for the members of congress are keeping their tongues shut for once in their entire lifetime. I do not mean that senators and representatives are silent. I do not mean that the halls of the house and the senate are not ringing with the usual clamor of demagoguery. Far from it. What they are doing is to keep their mouths shut.

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St. Hilaire N. L. Church
R. A. Doble, Pastor
Services Sunday, April 28:
St. Hilaire Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Services at 8 p. m.

Augustana Lutheran Church
R. A. Larson, Pastor
Black River, Saturday 9:00 a. m.
Confirmation class, 8:00 a. m.
Junior Mission society.
Sunday 10 a. m. Sunday school.
11 a. m. service.

Friday, May 2 p. m. Luther
League at the church.
Tenn. S. Hilaire, Sunday 9:00 a. m.
Service, 10:30 a. m. Sunday
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ROADSIDE SIGNS TO BE ELIMINATED

Backed by resolutions of
clubs, civic groups, tourist and
resort organizations, the state
highway department will launch
a "spring house clean-up" cam-
paign starting May 8th. The
drive, to be carried out on a
larger scale than ever, will have
as its object the elimination
from state trunk highway
routes of all private roadside
advertising signs and billboards
erected on highway right-of-
way.

These signs, the department
warns, are not only illegal and
unsightly because they fre-
quently divert attention of the
motorist when it is most need-
ed in the business of driving.

Owners of signs have until
May 9 to voluntarily remove
them. After that date the reg-
ular maintenance crews will re-
move those still left on the
right-of-ways. Large signs
that appear to be of valuable
construction will be removed
and left near the site where
they were erected, where own-
ers may pick them up. Smaller
signs will be disposed of.

It is not the purpose of the
campaign to discourage erec-
tion of uniform directional and
travel signs. Resort owners or
residents of the highway may
be granted permission to erect
sign posts with names of
resorts, post offices, country
stores, etc., on small white
panels of uniform size, such
as those installed last year by
the Forestry Division.

BRAY

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Olson
spent Saturday afternoon visit-
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and sister, Elmer Hanson and
sister, Elmer Olson who are both
patients at a Thief River Falls
hospital.

August Scholin, Elma, Elmer
and Arlo, and Mrs. Leroy
Scholin and their seven children
were Sunday guests at the John
Scholin home.

The Bray and Polk Center
4-H club held their annual busi-
ness meeting at School Dist.
89 Thursday evening. The fol-
lowing program was given:
Declaration reading by Max-
well Nohre; Guitar solo by Elmer
Scholin; Reading by Arlo Scholin;
Guitar solo by Morris
Siegler and in closing a song by
Vernon Scholin. The following
new officers were elected for the
coming year: President,
Melvin Scholin; Vice President,
Arnold Scholin; Secretary,
Treasurer, Elmer Scholin; Li-
brarian, Gladys Anderson;
Adult leader, Mrs. Alex Swanson.
At the close of the meet-
ing lunch was served.

Pearl and Agnes Anderson,
Ethel Wick and Mrs. Carl Mos-
beck motored Thief River Falls
Wednesday evening where they
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Oakland Park Sanatorium.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Erickson,
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son of Argyle were Sunday
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Mr. and Mrs. Eber Conklin
and family motored to Fargo
where they spent the week-end
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and Russell Nelson home. They
also visited at the Orlan Rose
home at Arv, N. Dak.

Mrs. John Behnke of Spring
Valley, Minn., is now visiting
with her mother, Mrs. Luttmer.
Mr. and Mrs. Merl Johnson
Kennedy were Sunday guests at
the Mrs. C. A. Lindquist home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Schah
and family were present at a
party given in honor of Mr. and
Mrs. Victor Walberg at their
home near Thief River Falls.

The following young folks
attended the 4-H club banquet
at the Thief River Falls Audi-
torium Wednesday evening:
Verna, Beverly and Gerald
Schah, Lorraine and Kenneth
Swanson, Joan Veljeck, Ver-
non Scholin, Clarence and Wil-
bert Swanson, Melvin and Arlo
Scholin.

Mr. and Mrs. Gurnad Lind-
quist and Mrs. Arlo Jacobson
and John Stanger of St. Hilaire
were Thursday evening
visitors at the Alfred Lind-
quist home.

Sunday visitors at the J. O.
Swanson home were Mrs. J.
Mether, Wendell, Robert, Ray,
and family, Mrs. Frank Peter-

son, Carl Peterson, son Herbert
were Saturday evening visitors
at Henry Sandberg's.

Miss Margaret Loken left
Tuesday to Willmar to visit a
week with her brother-in-law
and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Orville
Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Gustaf-
son baptized their infant daugh-
ter, Elmer Irene, Sunday after-
noon at the St. Paul church.
Sponsors were Mr. and
Mrs. Carl Alberg, Mr. and Mrs.
Claf Stetting.

Marjorie Sjolund and Phyl-
lis Presby of Thief River Falls
spent the weekend visiting with
the former's parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Henry Sjolund.

Miss Joyce Kosse, who is em-
ployed at Thief River Falls, spent
the weekend visiting with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rose.

The Clara Luther League
will meet at the church Friday
evening, April 26th. Lunch
will be served by Mesdames
Elvin Peterson, Frank Peterson,
Sisterhood, Mrs. C. A. Rose,
and Elmer Erickson. Program
committees, Leonard Erickson,
Mrs. Harry Sandberg and
Mrs. Alvin Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Svett Holm
of Thief River Falls visited
Sunday afternoon with the lat-
ter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl
Alberg, in the evening Mr. and
Mrs. Harry Rannum, Mr. and
Mrs. Carl Alberg and daughter,
Mrs. Leona, were visitors at the
Carl Finstad home.

Miss Evelyn Nelson left Mon-
day morning for Plummer to be
employed at Mac's cafe.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Frolund
and daughter and Harry Peterson
of Thief River Falls visited
Sunday at the Elmer C. Peterson
home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hen-
son and children, Mr. and Mrs.
Hazel project met at the
Martin Edling home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holmes
of St. Hilaire were Sunday vis-
itors at the B. Thos. Johnson
home.

Rev. P. E. Moen of Crookston
will speak (English) at the St

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SENIOR CLASS PLAY FRIDAY EVENING

The local Senior Class will present a three act comedy, "Don't Darken My Door," Friday night at 8:00 o'clock in the school auditorium.

Many humorous and complicated situations are presented in this play arising from a young girl who has been reading too many love novels. Don't miss "Don't Darken My Door," a real evening's entertainment is in store for you.

The cast is as follows:

Roger Kent, a bachelor,
Rosemary Kent, his romantic
niece
Tom Garrick, Rosemary's per-
sistent suitor.
Budd Kirkwood
Poppy Foster, maid of all work
Ludie Prestly
Alice Stubbs, Poppy's devoted
swain
Jane Perkins, a writer of ro-
mances
Eleanor Grovum
Louise Featherstone, maiden
lady
Gertrude Kallio
Susie Featherstone, maid
Lorraine Swanson
Prices will be 15c and 25c.

PICNIC AT ELDERED

More than thirty people from this village and other points motored to Eldred last Sunday and enjoyed a social gathering and picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweet, former residents of this place. Among those present from here were Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Brink, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Beebe, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. O. Gustad, Mrs. M. H. Jackson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Graham and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lindquist and Luetia Pearson. Among others were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Skatard and daughter of Argyle, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe LaPlant and family of Crookston.

PROJECT GROUP MEETS

St. Hilaire Group No. 3 of the Home project met yesterday at the Methodist church with very good attendance. Leaders for this group are Mrs. Lloyd Johnson and Mrs. David Johnson. Lunch was served by Mesdames Effie Rolfand, A. Dahlstrom. At this meeting officers were elected as follows: Mrs. Frank Johnson, chairman; Mrs. J. Alquist, secretary-treasurer and reporter. Lunch committee selected for next meeting consists of Mrs. John Lundberg, Mrs. Wm. Hartle and Mrs. Frank Johnson.

Radio and Essay Contest

To Boost Hospital Day
Radio stations throughout the state will carry numerous programs in the interests of National Hospital Day, Sunday, May 13, beginning at once. An essay contest among senior high school students throughout the state is now in progress on the subject "How Can I Help My Hospital?" Cash prizes will be awarded winners and the two high-placing contestants will be given a trip to the State Capitol to read their prize-winning essays over station WMIN early in May.

CARD PARTY MAY 8TH

Another benefit whist and bridge party will be given at the hall next Wednesday night, May 8th. Refreshments will be served during the course of the evening. Proceeds will go to the hall club to be used for a new outfit the coming season. All welcome.

25 Years Ago

From 1915 Spectator Files
Ernest Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Swan Johnson of Black River, died of pneumonia following a short illness.

The Red River Power Company submitted an offer to use the line in the village after a brief illness, of typhoid fever. Two children of the family were ill at the time with the same malady.

Sparks from the sawmill smelterstack started a fire which destroyed a warehouse near the plant.

Lands in the Mud Lake area east of Holt were to be opened for settlement that summer. Most of the land was occupied by squatters at the time.

Wheat brought \$1.50 a bushel in the local market that week, and other grains were in proportion.

Henry Nelson of Euclid stopped in the village yesterday while enroute home after a trip to Thief River Falls.

Cornel Anhol has bought the Harry Orloff lots west of the tracks and plans to erect a chicken house and other buildings thereon the coming summer.

Leo Carpenter attended a meeting of assessors of the county at Thief River last week to receive instructions concerning that important work. Both real estate and personal property is to be assessed this year.

As result of an order to drop some forty thousand workers from the rolls throughout the country, about forty men were dropped from rolls in this district this week. Three St. Hilaire residents lost jobs on the local school project.

Mr. and Mrs. Birdeen Anderson of Haledale are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Highland. Mr. Anderson is busy at getting his road construction machinery ready for operation when the weather conditions permit.

BOUND OVER ON CHARGE

OF TAKING WRESTWATCH
Charged with taking a wristwatch from a residence north of the roadhouse last Thursday, Harold Dekken, itinerant salesman from Grand Forks, appeared in municipal court for a hearing Friday, following which he was bound over to district court under \$300 bonds. The watch was not recovered.

Flowers That Bloom in the Spring Tra-La



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Dr. Horn, the Ulen dentist, has set May 14 and 15 dates for his next visit to St. Hilaire.

St. Hilaire high school was well represented at the district music festival held Saturday at River Falls.

Paul Roy and Harold Holmes are both making material and improvements on the intersection of their residences.

Mrs. T. M. Skatard of Argyle visited with friends here Saturday and Sunday while enroute home after a visit to Moorhead.

Minnesota fishermen are looking forward to opening of the game fish season on May 15. The season for brook trout opened the first of the month.

Harold Holmes, Ben Rosenbald and O. Gustad attended a Democratic county organization meeting held Tuesday night in the court house at Thief River Falls.

State highway department crews are at work repairing parts of U. S. No. 32 between here and Red Lake Falls which were badly broken out Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin S. Hoff departed Monday for their home at Littlefork after spending several days at the home of Mr. Hoff's sister, Mrs. Harry Winter, and with other relatives east of here.

Ole Gramum, who recently purchased the Anhol farm, has leased the plow land on the place to Sever Skatard. Mr. Gramum intends to occupy and improve the buildings on the farm this summer.

Rev. P. E. Morn of Crookston substituted for Rev. M. L. Dahle in services here last Sunday in St. Hilaire. St. Paul and Oakridge Lutheran churches. Attendance was very good at all the churches, considering road conditions.

Work on the new school addition was held up first of the week by snow and rain.

Final meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association for this school year will be held Friday, May 10.

M. H. Jackson and Mike Highland were at Crookston last Sunday to attend a district firemen's meeting.

A good sized crowd witnessed the showing of the motion picture "I Am the Life" at the school auditorium Monday night.

Miss Dorothy Gustad, instructor in the village school at Argyle, spent last week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gustad.

Sever Brandon, former lumber yard manager at Thief River Falls, attended to business matters here yesterday afternoon.

Walter Anhol and family moved with their farm equipment to a place east of Thief River Falls. Friends in this community wish them success in their new location.

Unseasonable weather has prevailed in many sections of the country the past week. In New York and bordering states, snow fell for the first time at so late a date, in seventeen years.

Carl Nelson and Mrs. Albert Johnson of Hibbing, and Mrs. Harvey Patnaude of Crookston left Friday for their respective homes after visiting a couple days with Mrs. Mary Sherva.

All field work throughout this part of the county ceased following rain and snow Sunday and Monday. The top soil is drying rapidly now and farmers hope to be in their fields the first of next week. There is a bit later than average years.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Election in District 102 in Pennington County, Minnesota, for the election of two directors will be held at the St. Hilaire high school building on the 21st day of May, 1940, between the hours of 8 and 9 P. M. Dated this 30th day of April, 1940. H. L. Holmes, Clerk. M-16

Head of Home School Gets New York Position

Miss Inez E. Patterson, superintendent of the Minnesota Home School for girls at Sauk Center for some years, has been re-appointed as head of the New York Training School for Girls at Hudson, N. Y., and plans to take over the duties of her new position first of next month. The New York institution is several times the size of that at Sauk Center in point of plant, enrollment and number of teachers employed.

The above school is of special interest to people of St. Hilaire as well as former residents because Miss Patterson was educated here, and taught in the local school before engaging in social welfare work.

SNOW HERE MONDAY

Fulfilling rain Sunday and Monday, snow fell here Monday afternoon in sufficient quantity to cover the ground, but it all disappeared yesterday after a few hours of sunshine. As a result of the moisture, side roads are in rather poor condition, and some difficulty was experienced with the trunk roads which threatened to break under heavy traffic. Considerable improvement was noted in the road conditions by last evening, however, and it is expected that all roads will be in good condition in a few days.

POST LOAD LIMITS

State highway department crews have erected load limit signs on all trunk roads in this section, the limit here being five tons, including vehicle. These regulations will be in force from one to two weeks depending upon how soon the frost goes out and roads settle. Limiting the weight of loads permitted on the highways during spring break-up saves the taxpayers large sums of money by preventing extensive damage to roadbeds.

Charles M. Lohn, Court Reporter

Charles M. Lohn, 67, court reporter in the 12th judicial district for 40 years, will retire retirement last November, died in a Crookston hospital at 2:30 A. M. Sunday, of a heart ailment, with which he had been ill for several months. Mr. Lohn was taken suddenly ill Saturday evening and removed to the hospital, death coming a few hours later. Funeral services were held Tuesday, at the First Methodist church, of which he was a member.

ASSESSORS FROM THRUOUT COUNTY MET LAST FRIDAY

Pennington county assessors turned out in full force last Friday for their annual meeting held at low court house previous to undertaking the task of making the 1940 assessment of real and personal property, scheduled to get under way this week.

G. C. Silwell represented the office of the state tax commission at the session, urging that every effort be made to secure a full and fair assessment of all property in the county. Mr. Bone of the farm census bureau discussed the farm census, the taking of which is a part of the assessor's duties. At the close of the meeting the officials received their supplies from County Auditor A. M. Gustad.

Men who will make the assessment this year were George G. Swanson, Bray; Irving McKersie, Black River; E. H. Pomeroy, Cleveland; Ed. Hatan, Deer Park; Ted Kummak, Goodfords; O. A. Tash, Hickey; Justin Hanson, Highland; O. D. Hild, Ransom; David Hanson, Mayfield; Albert Sjovold, Norden; T. H. Harker, North Waukegan; Bert Swanson, River Falls; H. I. Finck, Ransom; David Hanson, Silverton; A. J. Wald, Sandusky; James McCrum, Smiley; J. V. Hoffman, Star; Andrew Arne, Wyandale; Carl Christiansen, Goodfords village; Leo Carpenter, St. Hilaire; and T. M. Thronson, Thief River Falls.

4-H Ton Litter Contest

Is Challenge to Skill

For a real test of skill and efficiency, try raising a ton of pork from a single litter of pigs in 180 days. W. G. Severin, extension animal husbandman, advises Minnesota 4-H club members.

The Minnesota 4-H Ton Litter contest is open to youngsters of 19 to 21, January 1st, until sunrise close May 31st and enrollees must be received before the pigs are 4 days old. County agents and club leaders have entry blanks and rules. Each litter of pigs entered must be identified with a distinctive ear mark in the presence of witnesses.

Special county and state awards are made on the basis of pounds of pork produced in 180 days and the feed record and cost of the contestant. Prizes are offered for the best of breed, the largest average weight per pig, providing the litter reaches a total weight of 100 or more.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

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Our stock of seed is complete. Alfalfa, Clover, Timothy, Bromegrass, Crested wheat and many others. Examine our needs, our prices and compare elsewhere. You will prove to your own satisfaction that we do sell for less. Ask for our new seed catalog.

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LOCALS TAKE FIRST OF LEAGUE SERIES

In its first game of the 1940 series in the Northern Minnesota League, the local team defeated Red Lake Falls here last Sunday by a score of 12 to 0. St. Hilaire scored one tally in its half of the first frame, and crossed the pan twice in the second. The fourth inning was the most exciting of the entire game. With the bases loaded, Woodrow Alquist drove out a sizzling fly which landed within the new building under construction, thus scoring a home run for himself and bringing in his three team mates. Three more scores were garnered in the seventh frame making a total of twelve. Bill Hallamson on the mound, and Arlo Jacobson on the receiving end, both did excellent work for St. Hilaire with efficient backing from all others of the team.

In other league games played last Sunday, Plummer defeated Oklee by a score of 2 to 0, and Thief River Falls won from the CCC team by a score of 11 to 3.

TUNGSTEDT APPOINTED

State Senator, E. L. Tungstedt of Thief River Falls, has been appointed a member of the Resolutions Committee of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress which commences its sessions in Philadelphia, June 24th and the Democratic National Convention to be held in Chicago, July 15th. This appointment is conferred upon the senator because of recognition of his active interest in the promotion of Flood Control Projects. He is chairman of the local Lake River Flood Control Association.

OKLEE COMING SUNDAY

The Oklee ball club, a hard hitting bunch of ball players will have next Sunday for the second league game of the season. Oklee always has had a good team, and it is stated that of this year is no exception so an interesting contest can be looked forward to by ball fans.

At the same time next Sunday the Thief River Falls club will take on Plummer, and the CCC's will meet the Red Lake Falls team at Red Lake Falls.

LINDBERGH TALKS OVER CBS

Col. Charles Lindbergh spoke Sunday evening over the Columbia Broadcasting System on "Air Defense of America," from Washington, D. C.

He gave a calm, cool and sensible talk on what he considered would be an adequate defense plan, avoiding the hysteria now so common among a majority of radio commentators, and stated this country either had or could easily provide for all the air defense necessary to safeguard it from attack by any nation or group of nations.

WOMAN'S CLUB CLOSES YEAR

The Woman's Study Club closed the club year with its May meeting held last week. The educational feature of the past year was a study of the Scandinavian countries.

Officers chosen for next year were Mrs. W. J. Janda, president; Miss Grace Erickson, vice president; Mrs. R. Kirkemo, secretary; and Mrs. J. A. Hansen, treasurer.

25 Years Ago

From 1915 Spectator Files: Arthur Lindholm and Annie Swanson, popular Black River district couple, were married May 25 at the home of the bride's brother, John O. Swanson.

Garfield Akerberg, former resident here, was here from Bendit attending to business affairs.

Several new barns were going up in the community. Among the builders were Chas. Apple, C. W. Johnson, O. Haugen and A. E. Anderson.

A. P. Hegstrom removed the roof from his family residence in preparation for adding a second story.

Polk County voted dry in a county option election that week. As a result, 53 saloons, 14 distributing depots and 2 breweries were slated to go out of business.

PENNINGTON CO. REPUBLICANS AT STATE MEETING

Pennington-county delegates to the Republican state convention left Wednesday morning to be on time for the meeting which opened this morning in the St. Paul Auditorium. Included in the local group are Paul A. Lindgren, county chairman, Charles Quide, Carl Belavanger, Lester Eide, Ed Korstad, Jr., Mrs. Ed Korstad and Mrs. N. E. Nease. The principal business to come before the annual session is the election of four delegates-at-large to the Republican national convention in Philadelphia next month, and the nomination of eleven Republican presidential electors from the state of Minnesota.

Crossing Signal to be Placed West of Marcoux

Low bids have been received from the state department of highways for the installation of grade crossing signals for protection of motorists at 11 railroad crossing locations. The total of the low bids for the 11 installations, on all of which, the Grindwell Signal Co. of Minneapolis was low bidder, was \$46,778. Awards of contracts have not been made, pending approval by the Public Roads Administration of the Federal Works Agency. The locations of the proposed signal installations and the low bids received include fifteen miles east of Crookston, on T. H. R. R. 8, \$3,852.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandeberg have moved into the Westend home here, vacated last week by the Grovum family.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week. Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Mrs. H. E. Linn and sons, Harold and Derrill, motored to Warren and returned Thursday.

Arld Olson, employed in Red Lake Falls, spent last Sunday at his home here.

Art Anderson and Vernon Nelson of Grygla attended the dance here last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Olson, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hallstrom of Thief River Falls enjoyed a fishing trip Sunday to vicinity of Bendit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hogg, Mrs. Chas. Bushell and daughter, Clara of Grygla called on Mr. and Mrs. Harry Linn and family Sunday evening.

Baccalaureate service for the graduating class of the local high school will be held at the Norwegian Lutheran church on Sunday evening, Rev. E. L. Tungstedt of Thief River Falls will be the speaker.

Miss Lulu Beebe, employed in the department of Vital Statistics in the state capital at St. Paul, came Thursday and visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Beebe, until Saturday. This was her first visit home in several years.

Nickie Drees is making rapid strides in remodeling of his Redwood Inn building. While some exterior work remains to be done, Mr. Drees hopes to have the interior finished so the cafe will be in operation by Saturday evening this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Satterberg motored Saturday to the Twin Cities for a week-end visit at the G. F. Holm home in Minneapolis, and at the H. Adams, Drennan and Holm homes in St. Paul. They were accompanied from here by Miss Lulu Beebe who returned to her work at St. Paul after a visit with her parents.

ANOTHER RESIDENCE SOLD

In a deal closed last week, Mrs. Anna Kodan of Mavie purchased the Harry Linn residence property fronting Broadway at the south end of the village. Mrs. Kodan and family plan to erect a new set of buildings on the latter place this summer or early fall.

Mr. Linn, who sold the residence because it was separate from his farm tract across the road, plans to erect a new set of buildings on the latter place this year.

WOMEN'S PROJECT HOLDS MEETINGS

The leaders of the women's project "Feeding the Family" met at four training meetings last week. The lessons were "Food Makes a Difference" and was given to the leaders by Miss Inez Hobart, Extension Nutritionist from University Farm.

The meeting in Thief River Falls on Wednesday was attended by the leaders from Numedal, Norton, North I and II, Silverton, and Steiner I and II.

The leaders from Fry, Hazel, Hiltre I, II, and III, and Wyandotte I and II attended the meeting at St. Hilaire.

The Goodwill training meeting was attended by leaders from Krakra, Highlandpark, and Star I and II, and Goodridge I and II.

The second meeting in Thief River Falls was attended by the Rockaways I and II, Smiley and II, Thief River Falls I and II, and Mavie leaders.

The third lesson will be presented to the leaders at training meetings on June 12, 13, 14 and 15.

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Members of the Senior class, accompanied by Supt. M. B. Graham, enjoyed "skip day" by a trip to Fargo where they visited various points of interest including the broadcasting station of WDAY where some had their first experience at broadcasting.

Saturday evening at the Evelyn hotel at Thief River Falls occurred the annual Junior-Senior banquet, attended by members of the two classes and the school faculty. The annual banquet is usually the most enjoyable of all pre-graduation activities, and that of last Saturday was no exception.

MARKETS

May 23, 1940	
Wheat	\$.67
Durum	.56
Eye	.30
Malt Barley	.41
Feed Barley	.24
Oats	.24
Flax	1.66

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TRAIN TRAVEL ON INSTALLMENT PLAN

Purchase of railway passenger transportation by deferred payment plan became effective May 20 on the Great Northern railway.

Installation buying of train travel, in which 68 American railroads are co-operating, is applicable to all forms of rail accommodations, said Wm. Aitchison, Great Northern agent here.

Persons desiring to purchase rail travel on the installment plan must make application to the Great Northern agent. After determining the itinerary and cost of trip, the agent will present the application to the appropriate officials of the Credit Corporation, which passes on the request for and arranges the loan.

When the loan is granted, the credit company advances the amount of the loan to the railroad, and collects directly from the applicant on a monthly basis.

The credit corporation, said Mr. Aitchison, is a separate enterprise, in no way connected with railroads sponsoring the plan. No loans will be made for less than \$50.

The plan is applicable to all expenses of the traveler's Glacier National Park, the Pacific Northwest and California.

DECORATION DAY

Next Thursday is Decoration Day. While no special observance is planned for here, it is hoped all business places that can conveniently do so will do the white decoration of graves in the cemetery is being done. One of the graves in the cemetery are asked to co-operate in raking and cleaning before Decoration Day, that the cemetery may present best possible appearance. Members of the American Legion will place fresh flags and wreaths on the graves of all deceased veterans.

SCHOOL ELECTION HELD

The annual school election was held at the school building Tuesday evening, with light attendance, only about 30 voters being cast. Mrs. J. A. Hansen and M. H. Jackson, members of the board of trustees years past, were re-elected for three years terms.

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DANCE

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FIFTEEN GRADUATE HERE FRIDAY MAY 31

Fifteen seniors in the high school will receive diplomas at the commencement exercises to be held at the school auditorium Friday evening this week, starting at 8 o'clock. Paul T. Stern, executive secretary of the county welfare board at Warren, will deliver the commencement address.

William Winter is valedictorian and Roger Roy is salutatorian of the class as result of their class standings. Other members of the class are Lyle Rolland, Stanley Johnson, Eleanor Grovum, Agnes Drees, Gertrude Kallnowski, Hazel Haggard, Lucille Prestley, Genevieve Drees, Lorraine Swenson, Helen Alberg, Stella Urdahl, Robert Samuelson and Robert Kirkman.

All persons interested in the school and its activities are cordially invited to attend the graduation exercises.

Church Program Given

Over KJFM on Saturday
"Heritage of Destiny," adventure stories of civilization building and humanization taken from the annals, past and present, of the Baptist and Methodist churches, are being presented weekly over radio station KJFM at 7:15 o'clock on Saturday evenings. Justly presented by the Rev. William T. Peltowski, evangelist and the Northern Baptist Convention, the "Heritage of Destiny" series is a dramatization of the most stirring episodes from the history of both churches.

TURKEY POULT HATCHED

WITH FOUR LEGS
Pulchra Randa—a turkey poult—was hatched at the local hatchery recently having four legs. The little bird lived a few days, having evidently worn himself out trying to manipulate so many legs. Perhaps some wanted to go in one direction while he was headed for another. It was a curiosity and attracted much attention.

Rail Trips on Deferred Payments are Announced

Purchase of railway passenger transportation by deferred payment plan will become effective May 20 on the Great Northern railway. Instantly paying for the train travel, in which 60 American railroads are co-operating, is applicable to all forms of rail accommodations, and W. L. Welden, Great Northern agent here, says the plan will be made for less than \$20.

State Debt is Reduced

Over 7 Million in Year

Minnesota taxpayers will be able to celebrate Independence day this year with the welcome assurance that they are free from \$7,679,000 of state debt which they carried a year ago. The state debt was close to \$130,000,000 when Stassen went into office in January, 1939. On July 1st, last year, when the present fiscal year began, the total stood at \$140,497,185. By July 1st this year, it is estimated by fiscal reports at the capitol, it will be reduced to \$122,817,275, making a cut of \$17,680,000 for the year.

OPEN RECRUITING OFFICE

Sgt. Quigley, who has opened an Army recruiting station in the Postoffice building at Grand Forks, announced today he is authorized to accept a limited number of young men between ages of 18 and 35, in connection with the recent increase in the U. S. Army which is now in full swing. Anyone interested should either see the Sergeant personally, or write him at once as the quota is very limited at this time.

ARRANGE TO CHECK COMPLIANCE WITH 1940 AAA PROGRAM

Representatives of seven county agricultural conservation associations attended a district meeting in Thief River Falls, last Friday to discuss checking compliance for the Agricultural Conservation program for 1940.

Participants included, Hans Solberg and Ole Neland, county commissioners; Lloyd Johnson, compliance supervisor; Hazel Main, chief clerk; and Howard K. Grow, county agent, representing Pennington county.

The farm operators, that will work in Pennington County, will receive their instruction Monday, June 3. The actual work in the field will start soon after this date. The first check-up will be made for the first time, and perhaps the work will progress more smoothly than last year, should be completed at an early date.

Men to visit at farm operator that will attend the county meeting at the Alton Almshouse, Clarence H. Anderson, Jesse O. Anderson, Clarence Peterson, Edwin Swanson, Elmer Ayer, Carl Fustad, Oscar J. Fosha, Agnes Schell, John Schell, John Stenest, Harold Jorstad, J. P. Kallach, Morris Miller, L. E. Pomeroy and Victor Rodahl.

The county performance supervisor, county committee, and county agent will also attend the county instruction meeting on June 3.

Drastic Reduction in Wolf Bounties in State

Cited by Department

A drastic reduction in state wolf bounty payments through elimination of fraudulent hunting applications was reported today by the game and fish division.

From peak bounty payments of \$22,000 in the fiscal year ending in 1937 when the "bounty racket" was at its peak—bounties declined to a low of \$37,000 during the calendar year 1939. During the fiscal year ending in June 1939, \$37,000 was paid.

J. A. Lingst, state game warden supervisor, said the \$37,000 is regarded as "a reasonable amount."

He said 90 per cent of the fraud has been eliminated through the cooperation of wardens and county auditors.

Investigations started in 1935 showed hundreds of wolf bounties were paid on gray fox, red fox, and coon dogs. One southwestern county paid \$1,200 in "wolf bounties" with wolves unreported in the county the last 30 years.

Scores of bounty payment convictions were secured in the drive. The new bounty application plan requires that wardens must get a positive and affix a seal to the pet attacking tracks.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

James Kenney has finished a second story addition and an enclosed porch to the kitchen of his residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fricker and family of Hrs. were here Sunday and spent the day with Mr. Fricker's father, Mike Fricker.

L. F. Olson is having a concrete foundation put under his residence; is having a chicken built, and is making other improvements.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweet and daughter of Elbert, accompanied by his parents from Parkers Prairie, were guests Saturday evening and Sunday at the V. Brink home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Overholt and Mrs. A. Overholt were here Sunday at the Wm. Alcholson home while enroute to their home at Winnipeg after a trip to New York and other eastern points.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle motored to Drayton to attend funeral services for an old friend, and former neighbor of the Dahles, when they resided in that village before coming to St. Hilaire.

Mrs. B. E. Burke is back at her home in the village after having spent a couple weeks at the home of her son, E. O. Burke at Moorhead. The latter is recuperating after his recent operation, and expects to be about again soon.

Nickie Drees has completed both exterior and interior remodeling of his Redwood Inn building and is again ready for business. The building now presents a vastly improved appearance. With possible exception of some booths, a complete new set of fixtures has been arranged for, to be installed soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Black are the happy parents of a son born Sunday at a Thief River hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Granich and daughter of Winnipeg came Thursday and visited until Sunday morning at the Wm. Alcholson home.

Cornel Anibal yesterday moved to a neat cottage purchased at Thief River Falls which he has placed on his lot in south-west part of town.

James A. Dahl, superintendent of the village school at Grand Forks, motored here Saturday afternoon to decorate graves at the cemetery and to look after business affairs.

Dr. Horn of Ulen is scheduled to be here for a day today on Tuesday, June 4th. His usual time was advanced a week so he could attend the state dental meeting during the week of June 10th.

Announcement is hereby made that, beginning June 1 and continuing until further notice, the office hours of the Division of Employment and Security at Thief River Falls will be as follows: Mondays through Fridays, 9 A. M.-4:30 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M.-12 Noon.

Elmer Hanson, son of the late Halvor Hanson, pioneer resident of this community, died Monday night at a Thief River hospital. Mr. Hanson was 44 years of age, had been ill during the past winter. He is survived by his widow and seven children all residing on a farm west of Thief River Falls.

HYBRID SILAGE CORN

While our present supply lasts we will sell silage corn at \$1.50 per bushel. None better for silage or fodder. Order yours today. Math Barren Co., Inc.

COUNTY POPULATION OF

The population of Pennington County as shown by a preliminary count of returns of the Sixteenth Census as released H. O. Chomnie, Supervisor of this district, shows this county had a population of 12,900 as compared to 10,487 on April 1, 1930.

Indicating a trend of "back to the land" the census shows this county has 1371 cultivated farms now as compared with 1100 in 1930, a gain of 271 farms.

4-H WORKERS GET TRIP TO ST. PAUL

Eight 4-H members from Pennington will receive railroad trips to the 4-H Week at University Farm, St. Paul, June 5-8. These members were awarded trips for their active work in local club, and interest in carrying on the club program.

During Dahlen, Star Club; Dorothy Urdahl, Junior Leader in Goodridge Club; Stanley Johnson, St. Hilaire club; Melvin Schell, President of Bray and Polk Centre Club; Helen Wood, Junior Leader and Vice President of Rosewood club; Merilla Thorstad, President of Sanders club; Morris Olson, President of Falls club; Kenneth Engstrand, Rosebury club.

The 4-H members and leaders will be housed in the new H building on the state fair grounds. They will attend classes at University Farm each morning, go on tours throughout the cities in the afternoons, and attend entertainment features in the evenings.

NOSE SHAVED OFF BY FLYING BEER GLASS

Starbuck—A beer glass, said to have been thrown by Arvid Gustafson, struck Raymond Barness in the face, breaking to pieces and shattering off a large section of his nose. He was rushed to the hospital by Marshall S. C. Sorenson, who was called. The nasal tool caught the section of the nose which had been shaved off and Dr. Glenn placed it back in place.

FIRE IS SOUND AFTER

60 YEARS OF SERVICE
Glewood—After 60 years of service of the first water system in Glewood about 60 years ago. The water pipes were made from long narrow tamarack logs with a hole drilled through the center. Although this log had laid under seven feet of ground all these years, when removed it was in perfect state of preservation. The log was left with the historical society where it can be seen at the Court House.

MARKETS

May 29, 1940	
Wheat	\$.57
Durum	\$.50
Eye	\$.30
Malting Barley	\$.32
Feed Barley	\$.32
Oats	\$.29
Flax	1.62

DEFEAT OKLEE IN SUNDAY CONTEST

The St. Hilaire ball club announced its second victory for this season when they defeated Oklee here last Sunday by a score of 11 to 0. The cold, raw weather prevailing at the time was not conducive to good ball playing, and both teams did not show their usual form as a result. Errors on the part of Oklee were responsible for several scores. Hallmeck, Almquist and Jacobson composed the battery for St. Hilaire and did excellent work.

In other league games played Sunday, Thief River Falls defeated Plummer, and the CCC team beat Red Lake Falls.

Next Sunday the CCC team will be here for what promises to be one of the most contested games of the entire season.

Don't forget to see the CCC-St. Hilaire ball game on local ground next Sunday afternoon.

450-Pound Lion Vists

Red Lake Falls Briefly

Two Red Lake Falls boys, Donald and Arthur, were the owners of a 450-pound lion for a few days. The boys, Red Lake Falls Gazette. The boys, accompanied by Louis Pugin motored to Mankato last Sunday and returned early Tuesday with the "king of beasts," which had been given them by the keeper of the Zoo in Mankato. When the boys went into taking the lion and he had hoped to get a cub, which had been offered to anyone who would care for it. The zoo keeper told them into taking the lion and he had hoped to get a cub, which had been offered to anyone who would care for it. The zoo keeper told them into taking the lion and he had hoped to get a cub, which had been offered to anyone who would care for it.

MAYOR SHELVEYS

HIS STRAW HAT

Elly—the weather man pulled a fast one on Mayor Bern M. Lamsert. Deciding that summer was officially here one day recently, Mayor Lamsert donned his straw hat. For many years he has been the first Elly to wear a straw. The mayor's hat was pulled off, while the felt-covered tops of other Ellys were permitted to remain. However, the following week brought a hard frost. The mayor's straw hat went back on the shelf, and he reluctantly returned to a felt.

DANCE!

SAT., JUNE 1

Frontier Pavilion

St. Hilaire
Al Dumas and His Orchestra
Note: First ten couples entering hall will be admitted for 10 cents per couple. Dancing starts at 9:00.
Admission 25 Cents

Refrigerated Lockers

Our new cold storage locker plant is finished and in operation. A few compartments are still available.

Store your own meat, and call for it as needed. Cooling, cutting and packaging of meats for those who desire it.

Call at the creamery for any information desired.

St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery Association

St. Hilaire, Minn.

GRASS SEEDS

Our stock of seed is complete. Alfalfa, Clover, Timothy, Bromegrass, Crested wheat and many others. Examine our seeds, our prices and compare elsewhere. You will prove to your own satisfaction that we do sell for less. Ask for our new seed catalog.

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Belden & Olsen, Props.
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Patterns

SEWING CIRCLE



flowers, brooches or white lingerie lousers. Pattern No. 1923B has a delightfully waist-tied effect, and a ribbon belt to call attention to the fact! Make this in time for your next afternoon date, and see if you don't have a particularly good time whenever you put it on. This is a lovely style but only for prints, but for sheer like georgette and chiffon, in classic navy or black. It's an easy design to make, and includes a step-by-step new chart.

Barbara Bell Pattern No. 1923B is designed for sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, 20 and 40. Corresponding bust measurements 30, 32, 34, 36, 38 and 40. Size 14 (32) requires 3 1/2 yards of 36-inch material without nap; 1 1/4 yards of ribbon for belt.

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Indigestion

Know the true value of time, match, side, and every moment of it. No idleness, no laziness, no procrastination; never put off till tomorrow what you can do today.—Chatterfield.

2. GIVE THE AIR TO SNIPPLES PENETRO

Justice in Rebellion

Men seldom, or rather never, for a length of time and deliberately, rebel against anything that does not deserve rebelling against.—Carlyle.

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WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

BY LEMUEL F. PARTON

Continued Feature—New Series

New York—In 1922, when a daughter was born to the Grand Duchess Charlotte of Luxembourg, there was confusion and embarrassment.

Cause Received a palace here.

Bare Dues From cause, no.

Tiny Luxembourg, where in the

There was a gun which to salute

the royal newborn. That was not

idea had fulfilled its obligation for

the progressive disarmament of Eu-

rope. Never would Luxembourg

menace the peace of the continent.

The French gallantly refused in a

3, with a crew, and the baby was

given a thunderous welcome.

Today the Grand Duchess

Charlotte, her husband, Prince

Felix of Bourbon-Parma and

state six children are in

France, seeing guns which

live rather than ancient new

The father came in the

fall home, sleeping in which the

Grand duchess had reared her

children, played the piano, and

being a most ingenuit, had kept

for a French and German and

English languages. She has al-

ways been a peace-loving and

politely was distasteful to her.

At the end of her first prin-

ciple she discharged her duty

of state with care and dis-

crepancy.

At the end of the World war,

she represented extreme dis-

taste for the Germans. Her first

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Star Dust

STAGE-SCREEN-RADIO

BY VIRGINIA VALE

(Continued from previous column)

DOROTHY LAMOUR may

have to remain in the sa-

rong that made her famous, but

Jon Hall has finally grabbed a

role that will enable him to

wear regular clothes—the curse

of "The Hurricane" has lifted

for him, if not for her.

After his success among its

winds and waves he was life for

two years. Then Producer Edward

Small asked to borrow him for an-

other South Seas picture, "South

of Pago-Pago." Near the end of shoot-

ing he, Small was planning to

film "Kiki Carson," and had already

signed Randolph Scott for the lead-

ing role when Hall appeared at the

studio one day wearing a tan gal-

lone and a semi-cowboy outfit. He

and a late call for work that day,

and had spent the early morning

hours riding with his wife, Frances

laughing.

Small met Hall near the actor's

dressing room and was

small instead of Randolph Scott

whom you will see in "Kiki Carson."

In his latest issue, "The Philis-

tinian," the March of

time pictures the new problems

facing the Philippines as a result

of today's mounting war fever, and

shows how the Philippines, sched-

uled to take effect in 1946, is

already threatened by Japan's cur-

rent expansion program in the south

Pacific.

It's been announced that Joan

Blondell plans to retire from the

screen indefinitely when the fil-

ms "I Want a Divorce." She has

been suffering from severe col-

ic and heart for the past year, and

says that she will travel through

America with a road company, (a

new cure for both severe colic and

heart) and later on will make an

extended tour of South America for

a change of climate.

Fred MacMurray has grown to be

so expert at water polo that a com-

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HOUSEHOLD QUESTIONS

A ragged-hat wrapped near

each end of coat hangers will pre-

vent garments from slipping off

them.

A pinch of cinnamon or sugar

burned in a tin can will remove

objectionable food odors in the

house.

Always wash rice before cook-

ing. Put rice in a strainer and

wash it in cold water, placing

the strainer over a bowl of

water. Change the water and

repeat three times or until the water

is clear.

Use adhesive tape to mend worn

window shades. Use it, too, to

patch together broken pieces of

hemp-brace.

Cumbers fresh strawberries and

pineapple and serve them as the

first or last course of the spring-

time meal. Add fresh, cooked

mustard to corn used in mak-

ing a soufflé.

Fasten a large paper sack over

the end of the food grinder when

grinding meat or vegetables. The

sack will catch all of the crumbs.

Black shoe polishes may be

removed by rubbing them with

warm water and soap. Rub brown

stains with alcohol.

Gems of Thought

STUDIES teach not their own

use; but that it is a wisdom

without them, and above them,

was by observation.—Bacon.

Let every action be directed

to some definite object and per-

fect in its way.—Marcus

Aurelius.

A sudden thought strikes me;

let me swear an eternal tris-

trip—J. H. Prynne.

Forgoing, without forgetting is a

good deed the giving a receipt for

money without having your name

signed.—Lamartine.

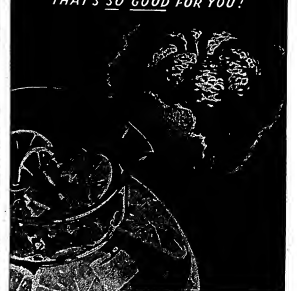
The more honest a man has,

the less he affects the air of a

saint.—Lavater.

NOTHING ELSE SO DELICIOUS

THAT'S SO GOOD FOR YOU!



See how oranges help!

Fully half our families are getting on diets

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the Department of Agriculture.

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AT THE Churches

St. Hilaire N. L. Church

Sunday, June 2 and week following

St. Hilaire Sunday school 10 a.

m. Services, 11:10 a. m.

October, 1930 a.

Aid at Moster's Wednesday 8

a. m. November, 2:30 p. m.

Aid at Hanger's Wednesday at 2

p. m. Paul Aid at Walsvik, June 2

Services, 11:10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

In cream social in connection

with the Parochial school program

at the St. Paul church Sunday

evening at 8 o'clock.

Confirmation at Clearwater

church, Saturday, June 14, 7:30.

Augustana Lutheran Church

Black River, Saturday, June 1

Junior Union society at the

church.

Sunday, 10:00 a. m. - Sunday

school, 8:00 p. m. Song Service.

Thursday, June 6, 2:30 p. m.

Ladies aid at Mrs. Swan's house.

Medianses Swan, Johnson, Carl

Anderson and Emil Petersen.

Cham, Hassel, Sunday 10:00 a.

m. Sunday school.

Friday, June 7, 8:00 a. m. Luth-

er League at Mr. and Mrs. John

Petersen.

Tarna, St. Hilaire, Sunday, 9:30

a. m. Service in charge of Mrs.

Mosbeck and Edwin Anderson.

10:30 a. m. Sunday school.

Miss M. C. Vandenstock

Roy N. Wiberg, Pastor.

410 S. St. Paul Ave.

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Phone 1068-2.

Saturday, June 1st

10:30 a. m. Confirmation

Class meets for the last time.

Every member present please.

Sunday, June 2nd

10:30 a. m. Confirmation

Services. Examination in Bible

and Church History. Presen-

tation of Bibles to the members

of the class.

8 P. M. Confirmation services

continued. Examination in

Christian Faith and Doctrine.

Presentation of Awards and

certificates.

Members of the Class are:

Alvin Carpenter, Bert Car-

bet, Jr., Bethel Grogan, Hazel

Hanson, Curtis Lemky, Stanley

Lemky, Maxine Nobre, Wendell

Royal, Virgil Schatz, and Ken-

eth Swanson.

String band practice after

the evening service.

Monday, June 3rd

9 a. m. Vacation Bible

School begins. Everyone in

the ages of 4-14 years are in-

ited to attend. School will be

held from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

for five days. Only the Bible

stories will be taught. Memory

verses from the Bible will be

memorized. Non-sectarian ser-

mons will be told. wholesome

handwork will be done. worth-

while recreation during recess

periods offered. Good character

and girl a chance to attend.

Splendid consecrated christian

the evening service.

Friday, June 7th

8 P. M., closing exercises

of V. B. S., closing exercises

June 4-16 attend Bible Camp

at Warren as much as you can.

Note: Confirmation will be

at the church not later than 20

minutes before the service.

next Sunday. Class picture will

be taken next Sunday at Thief

River Falls at 2:30 P. M.

New Word

Columbia university reports the

coining of a new word which may

come to be used in the near fu-

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DRAMATIC FESTIVAL SATURDAY, JUNE 8

All 4-H club members and adult leaders will participate in a dramatic festival on Saturday, June 8. Nine clubs will present one-act plays in the 4-H club building, and several musical selections will be given by various groups. Athletic events will be played during the afternoon.

The program for the day is as follows:

11:00, Rockbury Club, Angel Face; Selection, Rockbury Club.
11:30, Silverton-Smiley club, The Fascinating Mary; Vocal Solo.
1:00, Steiner club, Denks From An Old Flame; Selection, Gloves club.
1:30, Goodridge club, Educating Mary; Vocal Selection, St. Hilaire club.
2:00, Star Club, Homestead; Selection, Instrumental Selection, Highland club.
2:30, Wyandotte club, Piano Selection, Falls club.
3:00, St. Hilaire club, Congratulations.
3:30, Mayle club, Like a Woman Selection, Vita club.
4:00, Bray-Polk Centre club, Detour Ahead.

GROUP LEADERS TO MEET
The third training meeting for leaders in "Falls and the Family" project will be given next week by Miss Ines Hobar, extension nutritionist from University Farm. The lesson will be "Low Cost Meals."

The leaders of the various groups will meet in their homes on Wednesday, June 12, and Friday, June 14. Goodridge on Thursday, June 13; and St. Hilaire on Saturday, June 15. This is the last lesson and plans will be made at this meeting for "Check-up Day." A committee composed of Mrs. A. T. Dahlstrom, county-home chairman, Mrs. S. E. Hunt, county secretary, Mrs. L. A. Meyers, Mrs. John Christensen, Mrs. Bolla Haynes, and Mrs. J. A. Hanson, chairman of the four training center groups, will meet with Howard S. Grov, county agent, on Thursday afternoon of this week to make recommendations for Check-up Day.

During a rather severe wind and electrical storm Sunday morning, a bolt of lightning struck the steeple of the Norwegian Lutheran church at the corner of the bluff. Aside from splintering a corner board, tearing off another and a few sliding, no damage was done. Fortunately no fire started as a very high wind prevailed at the time.

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GRADUATION HELD

Fifteen seniors in the local high school received their diplomas in impressive exercises held Friday night in the school auditorium which was filled to capacity for the occasion.

Paul T. Steen of Warren, the commencement speaker gave a very interesting address, stressing the importance of education in this modern age. Supt. M. H. Graham presented the class, and Mrs. J. A. Hansen, chairman of the board of education, presented the diploma.

25 Years Ago

From 1915 Spectator File: A county option election was to be held in this county that month. Only existing saloons in the county were those at Thief River Falls.

J. A. Hansen purchased the property on Red Lake avenue.

Agnes Burke and Grace Hall, students at Moorhead Normal, returned home for the summer vacation.

Officers of the Red River Power Company assured people here that electric service would be available to the village during fall or winter of 1915.

PLAN EXTENSIONS
At a regional meeting for rural electric cooperatives to be held at Crookston next Monday, June 10, project superintendents and members of boards of directors of existing cooperatives will submit estimates of expected requirements for additional lines. Since the project was first organized, many applications have been made for additional line mileage, and information from the R.E.A. at Washington indicates a contemplated expansion program to be started soon after July 1.

It is expected quite a lot of new mileage will be added to the Red Lake Electric project as actual construction work gets under way this year.

The "Benedit Plow" recently printed a list of thirty-four students out of the four hundred enrolled at the State Teachers College who attained the Scholastic Honor Roll. One of the thirty-four students was Evelyn Thyrén who has attended the college the past year and graduates in June. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thyrén of this community.

Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Larson and family left Thursday for St. Peter to attend graduation exercises at Gustavus-Adolphus College. Their son, Douglas, is a member of the graduating class. Later they went to St. Paul to visit relatives of Mrs. Larson, and Rev. Larson went on to Rock Island, Ill., to attend a conference. On the trip from here they were accompanied by Mrs. Ruel Rolland and baby daughter who are visiting at the home of her parents in St. Paul.

St. Hilaire High School Graduating Class



Members of the St. Hilaire high school graduating class, as pictured here at commencement exercises last week are pictured above. Standing in the back row are Robert Kirkconnell and Gertrude Kalmowksi. Middle row: Lucille Prestley, William Winters, valedictorian; Hazel Haglund, Selma Under, Roger Roy, salutatorian; and Helen Ahlberg. Front row: Lela Boland, Genevieve Drees, Eleanor Grovum, Robert Kirkconnell, Lorraine Swanson, Agnes Drees and Stanley Johnson.

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Friday was the last day for payment of first half of 1939 real estate taxes, without penalty.

Co. Commissioner Paul Roy went Tuesday to Thief River Falls to preside at the monthly meeting of the county board.

Mrs. Blanche Davis came Friday from Minneapolis to spend a couple weeks at the home of her sister, Mrs. Harry Winter.

Miss Alice Skottem, instructor in the city schools at Marshall, Minn., came yesterday to spend summer vacation with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. Dahl.

The Bearcats, juvenile ball team, went yesterday to Red Lake Falls and won from a similar team there 15 to 8. The same team will play here next Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanson and family motored here Thursday from St. Paul and spent until Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans L. Hanson and other relatives.

Miss Inez B. Patterson of Sauk Centre, who is enjoying a short vacation at Maple Lake, spent Sunday afternoon and evening here at the home of her sister, Mrs. O. Gustad.

All non-resident members of the teaching staff left Saturday for their respective homes to spend summer vacation. With exception of Miss Grace Erickson, all plan to return here next September.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Pierson, accompanied by Mrs. R. H. Pierson and Guy Pierson of Minneapolis, motored here Friday for a visit with old friends and former neighbors. The former visited relatives at Thief River Falls while Mrs. Pierson and Guy visited at the O. K. Olson home. The Pierson family formerly resided on a farm 3 miles northwest of here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Olson and daughter came on Friday from Little Falls and visited until Sunday at the homes of his brothers, Henry and William in the village, and Alfred Olson northwest of here, besides other relatives. Mr. Olson, a former resident of St. Hilaire, has been a member of the Little Falls fire department for many years.

ATTENTION FARMERS

Due to the decline in the markets we are compelled to discontinue paying \$1.00 per head for dead animals. We will, however, pick up all dead and disabled animals promptly and free of charge. Call your nearest Dead Animal Service. Red Lake Falls Dead Animal Service. 32-6-15

4-H CLUB WEEK PLANNED

Plans are now complete for the twenty-ninth Red River Valley 4-H Club Week which will be held at the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston beginning June 10 and extending through June 15. A staff of twenty instructors assisted by fourteen county 4-H club agents and as many agricultural agents, will be ready to meet the more than five hundred club members expected in each of the two groups of club members meeting during the week.

The southern group will attend the first camp which meets June 10-13. Included in the second group which meets June 13-15 will be members from Clearwater, Red Lake, Pennington, Marshall, Kittson, Roseau and Lake of the Woods counties.

Band Practice—There will be band practice at the school building Wednesday evening, June 12 under direction of Bandmaster Peterson. All old members are asked to turn out to make a community band.

MARKETS

June 6, 1940	
Wheat	62
Durum	48
Rye	26
Malt	36
Feed barley	30
Oats	21
Flax	1.59

LOCAL BALL TEAM TAKES THIRD GAME

The St. Hilaire ball club now heads the Northern Minnesota League as a result of its victory last Sunday over the CCC team from Thief Lake. Taking an early lead, the local boys stayed out in front until first half of the eighth inning when the visitors scored three tallies to even the score 4 to 4. By a number of well placed hits, coupled with some errors on part of the visitors, the locals scored four times in their half of the eighth frame, making a total of 3 to 4 which also was the final score after the CCC's had their try in the ninth inning. Halstead and Jackson, battery for St. Hilaire, did excellent work and had staunch support from their team mates.

In other league games last Sunday, Plummer defeated Thief River 6 to 1. The latter town by 5 to 2 and Red Lake Falls beat Okie by a score of 8 to 4.

Next Sunday the St. Hilaire team plays at Red Lake Falls; the CCC team at Plummer; and Okie at Thief River Falls.

RED CROSSED RELIEF CALL

RED CROSSED RELIEF CALL. In every phase of European relief work, the Red Cross chapters redoubled their efforts this week to raise the \$20,000,000 Red Cross war relief fund. Meanwhile, a 9,000-ton "mercy ship" was scheduled to sail this week for Europe with a million dollar cargo of American Red Cross relief supplies.

After the tragic events of the past week the \$10,000,000 originally asked by the American Red Cross will be insufficient to cope with the desperate need in Europe today. America is the one outstanding neutral nation where the suffering people of Europe can turn for aid. Unless their plight is quickly relieved, there can be little hope for these stricken populations against actual hunger and disaster. Urgency of this need cannot be too strongly stressed, say Red Cross officials. Every citizen of Europe should contribute to the extent of ability to help the unfortunates in Europe.

A good representation of ball fans plan to accompany the team next Sunday to Red Lake Falls when the locals meet Red game.

DANCE!

SAT. JUNE 8
Frontier Pavilion
St. Hilaire
Alto Stalio and His
Red Jacks
Note: First ten couples entering ball will be admitted at 10 cents per couple.
Dancing starts at 9:00.
Admission 25 Cents

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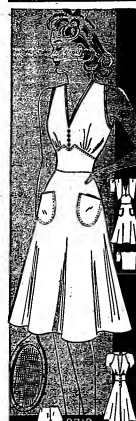
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The young couple stood before the justice of the peace, the ceremony seemed very frightened. The justice glanced at the young man.

"No you," he said slowly, "take this woman to be your lawful wedded wife!"

"I—really don't know," stammered the young man nervously.

The justice turned to the girl.

"And do you," he asked, "take this man to be your lawful wedded husband?"

"Yes!" giggled the girl, "I'm beginning to wonder."

The justice nodded.

"That's great!" he cried, grimly. "I now pronounce you man and wife—mayhap!"

Without and Within

What the woman is to be within her gates, at the center of order, the helm of distress, the nerve of beauty, that she is also to be without her gates, the center of more difficult, distress more imminent, loneliness more rare—John Huston.

In Flexibility
Recent talkers to err by too much flexibility than too much conservatism, by meekness than by boldness—Harrison.

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New Program for U. S. Defense Crowds Politics Into Background

Rising Tide of War Hysteria in Nation's Capital Endangers Advancement of Many New Deal Social Reforms.

By WILLIAM BRUCKART
WFO Service, National Press Digest
Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON—There is a new kind of political conflict developing in Washington. The extent to which it will go depends, obviously, upon developments in Europe's war. It is fairly to say, nevertheless, that at this moment die-hard-the-wolf New Dealers are frightened within an inch of their lives from fear of what the war hysteria is going to do to their pet social program.

It should be said by way of explanation that President Roosevelt's defense program is likely to require the best industrial and military resources available. That means the President must make strenuous efforts toward warding off any early activity of groups which would set back the advance they have been fostering through the last seven years. Those New Dealers who have the President's ear have issued a warning to congressional leaders that none of the New Deal reforms or social advances shall be jeopardized by defense legislation.

In the meantime, however, most every observer also has witnessed a tendency on the part of those charged with official responsibility to take steps less leading to worthy change in hastening defense preparation. Right now there is an intensive study being made of the kind of war and navy of such things as wage and hour regulations, and limitations upon private financing. Other things that amount to handicaps upon the nation's productive capacity also are being examined. The idea behind this kind of course, to be clear, however the numerous so-called reformers will not help hinder development and production of the war materials which must be available if Europe's war gets farthest out of bounds.

Refining Wage Scales Are Being Investigated

As showing how the New Deal advocates are resisting any encroachment upon the reforms which they have fostered, it is necessary only to report, as an example, that the federal contracts board has been holding hearings on proposed minimum wage scales. The board is functioning under the Walsh-Healey act. This statute permits the department of labor to fix minimum wages paid in any industrial plant which is manufacturing under a government contract. If the material which the government is buying cost more than \$10,000.

The board has been going right ahead with hearings on its recommendation that a minimum wage of 53 1/2 cents per hour be established in the entire electrical industry. It has done this notwithstanding the fact that anybody must realize how useless the procedure is if it becomes necessary for the President to use wartime powers and require emergency schedules of production to be maintained.

Moreover, it is doubtful that the action collected by the board will have any value in any event. This is true because war-time conditions abroad naturally are influencing our industrial conditions. The (going concern) probably will be meaningless if the war continues another six months.

With respect to the question of limitations of hours which employers may work, the same story is true. In addition, it can be said, I believe, that Congress will waste very little time in removing the restrictions on hours of labor if the emergency requires complete mobilization of American productive capacity.

Europe's War May End Many Theoretical Ideals

I could go on with other illustrations of the character mentioned here. These serve, however, to illustrate the point that the New Deal is being crowded into the background in official Washington conversation and attention because of the war hysteria, says William Bruckart. This wariness of the politicians for they feel that hands-on, practical business men may be called in to replace them in order to speed up the President's plan for building up America's home defense program.

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illustrate the point I have been attempting to make. They illustrate also the possibility that a further expansion of Europe's war may mean the end for many of the theoretical ideals about which the New Dealers have been prattling through these many months.

There is a bit of humor in the grim reality of the conditions facing this country today. I have written in these columns many times that the New Deal pay rollers were leading the drive to re-elect Mr. Roosevelt for a third term. That is the only manner in which they can be certain to hold on to their jobs. Now, however, we find Mr. Roosevelt's candidacy moved forward very definitely by the impact of Europe's war, while at the same time we find the New Dealers being slowly pushed into the background while practical men are called in to direct and manage the defense program.

There also is to be noted, in connection with the excited conditions incident to the war, the fact that certain groups are exerting selfish pressure. It will be said, of course, that a democracy permits selfish interest to employ pressure. But the thing observers note around Washington these days is the very early activity of groups which are striving, apparently, to make a profit out of the war. Mr. Hoover has publicly declared that extraordinary profit is not going to be permitted. His statement, however, does not assure prevention of the selfishness. It will take a great many thrusts and some punishment to accomplish the purpose.

Some conversation has already been heard the effect that Mr. Roosevelt will place more confidence in private business leaders if his defense plan carry through. The President, as everyone recalls, has seemed to enjoy cracking the whip over business at frequent intervals during his entire years in the White House. The more conservative members of the administration recognize the change between the President and general business, and

AROUND THE HOUSE

Items of Interest to the Housewife

Strained ham, mixed with cottage cheese, a few broken nut meats and soft butter makes a delicious filling for sandwiches for the school child's lunch box.

When lighting a birthday cake always light the candles in the middle first and those on outside last.

When refilling a battery pillow cruch a small block of camber and mix in with the feathers. This will keep the feathers "fresh" and will help to preserve them.

If used in which olives are bottled is thrown away when bottle is opened, olives may be kept indefinitely if olive oil is poured over them after they are put back into bottle.



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BAIT NEXT WEEK IN ANNUAL CAMPAIGN ON GRASSHOPPERS

Farmers are asked to watch carefully for the spread of grasshoppers from the beds from which they hatch to adjoining fields during the next few weeks. County Agent Howard Grew said today. Hatching has just gotten well under way, and will be increasing during the next week or two, if weather conditions are favorable.

A W. P. A. project has been set up for mixing of bait, and bait will be available by first part of next week. With weather conditions as they are at the time, farmers are advised to spread bait now so that they can get results, rather than wait until the hoppers get larger and weather conditions perhaps less favorable.

An experiment is being planned to test four or five different kinds of bait on some of the farms in the county just as soon as the hatching is more complete than it is at the present time. All farmers will be interested in this experiment and, no doubt, will watch it with interest to see what the results will be.

The Bearcats, juvenile ball team, added another victory to their string Saturday when they took the Red Lake Falls boys team by a score of 13 to 4 in a return game played here. The local boys are really in need of equipment and a bit of encouragement from townspeople would be welcome.

Miss Inez B. Patterson, accompanied by a friend, Miss Richards, motored here Friday from Maple Lake for a visit at home of her sister, Mrs. O. Gustafson, and to greet friends. Miss Patterson leaves this week for Hudson, N. Y., to assume the superintendency of the New York Home School for girls.

A good sized crowd, turned out Tuesday evening for the free outdoor moving picture show. With new sound equipment, the performance was much better than initial ones, and met with approval of all who saw it. Another picture will be presented at the same location next Tuesday night.

DANCE

Jolly Assembly's Orchestra
Frontier Pavilion
St. Hilaire
Saturday, June 15
Note: First ten couples entering hall will be admitted at 10 cents per couple.
Dancing starts at 8:00.
Admission 25 Cents

SEED STRIPPERS COMING

The Tobin Seed Company, one of the largest concerns in this country purchasing June grass seed, will move into this territory in a short time to contract for and purchase seed. The company, which operated on a limited scale last year, will bring in a large number of stripping machines to be distributed through a wide territory of which this will be the center. Plans have been made for a curing ground where many carloads of seed may be cured and handled at one time. This will entail employment of considerable local labor, from twenty-five to thirty men being necessary. After curing, the seed is sacked and shipped to the cleaning plant in Missouri. Stripping of the seed from June grass does not involve the plow for hay which may be cut in the usual manner after strippers have gone over the fields.

MRS. ED SHASKEY DIES

Word was received here Tuesday by relatives of the death of Mrs. Ed Shaskey of Aberdeen, S. D., which occurred that day at the hospital at Rochester, Minn., where she had undergone an operation.

Mrs. Shaskey, age 37, was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Lars A. Loberg of this village. She was born and reared in this community, attended the local school and later the Moorhead Normal before engaging in teaching. After her marriage to Ed Shaskey about fourteen years ago, they made their home for a time at Fargo, Minn., and later at Moorhead. During later years she suffered from an asthmatic condition which necessitated a change of climate, so she spent the summer months at International Falls where she operated a tourist camp. It was only a short time ago she left International Falls for the hospital to undergo an operation in hope of obtaining relief.

Mrs. Shaskey, nee Mabel Loberg, is survived by her husband and two young sons, besides four brothers and two sisters. The latter are Arne Loberg and Mrs. Rupert Swanson of this place; John and Elmer Loberg of Idaho; Martin at Twin Valley and Mrs. Arthur Eid of Gary besides a number of cousins and other relatives. Her parents and one sister, Ragna, preceded her in death. Funeral services will be held tomorrow (Friday) at 2:00 p. m., at the local Norwegian Lutheran church with interment in the Lutheran cemetery north of the village where her parents and sister are buried.

After finishing her term of school at Deer River, Miss Pearl Simonsen has returned here to spend summer vacation with her father, Peter Simonsen.

Mrs. N. Damman of Farmington came last week for a visit at the Mrs. Hilda Gisthal home here, and with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Black at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sherva and son, Blake, were here Sunday from Fertile for a brief visit with Mr. Sherva's mother, Mrs. Mary Sherva, and other relatives.

George Wilson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilson of Aurora, former residents of this place, was a member of the class that graduated Thursday at the Junior college at Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rolina and family came Monday from Excelsior to look after affairs in connection with their properties in this section. Mr. Rolina is state bee inspector in this state.

Subscribes for the Spectator.

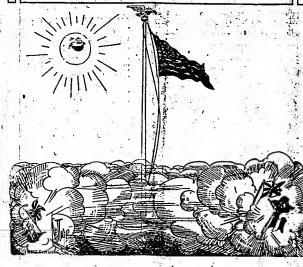
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Sign up at an early date to insure prompt and efficient handling of your June Grass acreage.

Above the Clouds



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week Told in Brief News Concerning People You Know

Henry Sande left part of the week for Minneapolis and St. Paul.

Lucille, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Olson, went Monday to spend several days with her grandparents at Thief River Falls.

The N. L. Ladies Aid will be entertained June 21 by Mrs. K. Dalager, Mrs. Dan Johnson and Mrs. Joe King.

John Lardy of Bemidji was here yesterday for a visit at home of his brother, Ben Lardy, and with old friends.

Mrs. Carl Person and sons, Glenn and Kenneth of Crookston, visited here Thursday at the home of Mrs. A. J. Larson.

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Mrs. N. Damman of Farmington came last week for a visit at the Mrs. Hilda Gisthal home here, and with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Black at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sherva and son, Blake, were here Sunday from Fertile for a brief visit with Mr. Sherva's mother, Mrs. Mary Sherva, and other relatives.

George Wilson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilson of Aurora, former residents of this place, was a member of the class that graduated Thursday at the Junior college at Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rolina and family came Monday from Excelsior to look after affairs in connection with their properties in this section. Mr. Rolina is state bee inspector in this state.

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RECEIVES B. S. DEGREE

Miss Beryl Burhoe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Burke of Moorhead, former residents here, received her degree of Bachelor of Science in Home Economics at the North Dakota Agricultural College at Fargo on June 10th. She is a member of Kappa Delta Phi, honorary education fraternity. Beryl also was one of the thirteen members elected to Phi Kappa Phi, national honorary scholastic fraternity; members of the group being selected from students with the highest scholastic awards.

HAVE FAMILY REUNION

A delightful gathering occurred Sunday at the Ben Landy home here when members of the Anderson family and their descendants gathered for a family reunion for first time in years. In the Anderson family are Ole Anderson and Mrs. Anna Thompson of this place; Anton of Wylie; Andrew of St. Thomas, N. D., and Mrs. Ole Johnson of Holt, who were all present. Another sister, Mrs. Henry Swanson of Washington was unable to come for the occasion when brothers and sisters met for first time for a long time. A picnic dinner was served, and the day spent in talking about times and events of years ago which, needless to say brought back many pleasant memories.

Those present for the event were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Johnson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Johnson, Mrs. Howard Riech and daughter, Mary, Mrs. David LaBanc and daughter, Rosemary; Mrs. Ervin Brunelle and daughters Joan and Sally of Crookston; and Mrs. James Nevada and son James of Thief River Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Anderson of Auburn, N. D., Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson and son, Marjorie, and Andrew Anderson of St. Thomas, N. D., Mr. and Mrs. Orlaf Ness, Orin, Irene and Gladys Ness; Mrs. Anton Peterson, Verma, Marjorie and George Peterson; Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Peterson and daughter, Vivian; Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Johnson and sons, Murrel, Orris and Myron all of Holt; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Swanson and sons, Mr. and Mrs. A. Larson; Mrs. Anna Thompson and Emil Ernest of Anderson and sons, George and Alex of St. Hilaire; Mr. and Mrs. Anton Anderson of Wylie, and the Landy family.

Roofing of the new school addition was finished this week, and application of the asbestos exterior wall finish will be undertaken shortly. Door and window frames for the structure are being prepared for installation as the wall finishing progresses. Nothing is being left undone to make the building first class in every respect, and it will be a credit to the school plant when finished.

Mr. and Mrs. Sven Severson of Ashland, Wisc., left Tuesday after visiting several days with Mr. and Mrs. L. Hauge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson.

The Frontier refreshment parlor has been greatly improved the past week by addition of a fine set of new booths to match other furniture in the place.

H. L. Holmes and Richard Larson, members of the school board, motored yesterday morning to Reby and Bagley to arrange for some extra material needed for the new school addition.

A meeting of the board of education was held Monday night at the village council room to discuss matters pertaining to the new school addition, and to organize the board for the coming year.

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LOCAL BALL TEAM LANDS FOURTH GAME

The St. Hilaire ball team which now heads the Northern Minnesota League by virtue of four wins and no losses, took its fourth game of the schedule when it defeated Red Lake Falls in that city last Sunday by a score of 11 to 3.

Next Sunday the Thief River Falls team, which is tied with Plummer for second place, will play St. Hilaire here. This will undoubtedly be one of the most interesting contests for this year.

Since all teams in the Northern Minnesota League have hit expected stride a much better brand of baseball is in store for fans in this territory. Lopsided scores are fast disappearing and competition and rivalry between teams is becoming keen and fans can expect a good exhibition of baseball on any of the scheduled games in the league from now on.

If you enjoy a good game of ball, come out and support the teams in the league as they are all deserving of your support, and you will go home from any of the games more than satisfied.

Be sure to be on hand next Sunday afternoon for the Thief River Falls-St. Hilaire contest.

Mrs. W. Aitchison and son, Delmer, motored yesterday to their former home at Hessel, N. D., to visit friends. They returned today.

Tho a bit slow because of long continued cold weather, the small grain crops in this locality look the best in years. The grain appears to be well rooted and indications are for a better than average crop the coming fall.

Some complaints have been made about boys playing ball close to residences and other buildings, resulting in cracked windows. Since there are plenty of open spaces for play, parents should caution children about this practice.

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BIDS ARE OPENED ON REA PROJECT

Bids ranging from \$142,519.00 to \$166,515.00 were received last week from twelve northwest electric construction firms by the Red Lake Electric Co.-op., Inc., for construction of approximately 238 miles of rural electric lines within Marshall, Pennington, Red Lake and Pennington counties. The successful bidder will not be known for a few days pending approval of the REA in Washington.

It is expected actual construction of the new lines will get under way at an early date, and will be completed by fall.

Among the twelve bidders appears the name of the C. A. Hooper Company of Madison, Wis. Mr. Hooper is a son of the late Geo. W. Hooper, former owner of the local telephone system.

Supt. E. F. Kiland of the Red Lake Electric Co-operative, Inc. has suggested that persons in St. Hilaire and vicinity who wish to register for employment on the new rural electric line, should leave their names at the Spectator office. This will save time at the Red Lake Falls office. No guarantee or assurance of employment is made, but if there is opportunity to do so, some men from here will be employed.

FORMER RESIDENTS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. F. Pike and family of Minneapolis, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Nelson of Hallock were visitors in the village last Saturday afternoon to visit old scenes of interest to Mrs. Pike and Mrs. Nelson, both former residents of the village. The former will be recalled by the old timers as Stella Palmgren, and the latter as Nellie Palmgren. Their father was Great Northern section foreman here for a number of years before moving to Mahanah about 1902 or 1903. A brother of Mrs. Pike and Mrs. Nelson, Martin Palmgren, is now employed in Chicago. Mr. Pike is employed by the Great Northern at Minneapolis.

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CANCELS SPEAKING DATES

In a message to Minnesota newspapers Senator Henrik Shipstead announces cancellation of his speaking engagements in Minnesota for this week. The grave international situation necessitates continuous work of Congress to cope with questions arising daily which does not give any members of Congress opportunity to fill any speaking dates.

25 Years Ago

From 1915 Spectator Files
The St. Hilaire band accepted an invitation to furnish music for a big celebration to be held July 5th, at Roseau.

A new bank, to be known as Farmers State Bank, was organized here that week with K. O. Gistad as president, and O. Ashberg, cashier. The new bank was to be open for business August 2nd.

Sander Engbretson commenced erection of a fine residence on his Water street lots.

The Markham Hotel was sold that week by J. K. Hannay to Messrs. Dahlin, Kolstad and Hovet who planned to dismantle the large building.

After a strenuous campaign of three weeks, in which both camps exhausted every effort to carry their point, Pennington county voted out its saloons by a majority of about 400 votes.

A new barn on the Henry Starkey farm was moved a foot off its foundation during a windstorm that week.

Work is going forward rapidly at the new school addition. The building is now entirely enclosed. Forms have been set up for the tunnel which will connect the new building with the basement of the school proper. Practically all material needed for completion of the new building is now on the grounds.

All accounts of property along residence streets in the village are asked to co-operate to extent of trimming or hanging branches along their walls. Branches should be cut at least seven feet from the ground. It is not pleasant to have headgear or glasses knocked off by these branches when a few minutes work would remedy the situation.

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A severe hail storm Sunday afternoon damaged crops in a large area near Brooks. People who came thru the storm area shortly after the storm, report seeing hail as large as hen's eggs.



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Harold Holmes has received notice of confirmation of his re-appointment "at postmaster here."

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lindquist enjoyed a fishing trip last Sunday to a lake near Cass Lake.

Klem Gistad motored Wednesday afternoon to Kandahar on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Graham and daughter, Marilyn, returned Monday after visiting relatives at Bertha and Wells.

"Despite the chilly weather," a large crowd turned out to see the free moving picture at the rink grounds Tuesday night.

Miss Effie Fredrickson left Saturday for Fishing Bridge Yellowstone National Park to again be employed during the summer season.

Quintuplets, all males, were born Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blakely here. All concerned are doing well, including the pups which are quite little types.

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Miss Grace Dahle left last week to attend summer session at the University of Southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter came as their guest for the summer, his mother, who came last week from Hillsboro, N. D.

Dorothy Gustaf left Saturday with others from Bagley to attend summer school at the State Teachers College at Duluth.

Annual meeting and election of officers of the Wylie Co-op Elevator Association has been set for Monday, July 23 at 1:00 P. M.

The Swedish Lutheran Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Chas. Swanson and Mrs. Jess Almqvist at the home of the latter on Friday, June 28.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Gustaf motored Saturday to Maple Lake and spent Sunday there at the Patterson cottage. Mrs. Anna L. Patterson of Minneapolis and Mrs. C. F. Brantner and children, Jack, Bob and Donna of San Francisco are spending the summer at the lake.

The Bearcats, local ball players, had a bit of misfortune last evening when they lost to the Thief River Falls juvenile team by the close score of 17 to 16. The boys played a bang-up game even tho the score was against them, and had just got going good when the ninth inning ended.

Representatives of the Tobin Seed Company will be here this week to make arrangements for handling of June grass stripping and shipping operations in this section. The company has contracted for a huge amount of grass acreage, and will operate on a large scale here this season.

RECEIVES SCIENCE DEGREE

Miss Dorothy Anne Martz of St. Paul, former resident of this village, received a degree of Bachelor of Science at the commencement exercises at the University of Minnesota which exercises were held last Saturday night at Memorial stadium. The class Saturday numbered 2,408 students. An additional 1,170 were graduated earlier in the year for a total of 3,578 during the year, an all-time record for the University.

Relemon-Dahlstrom
Miss Helen Vivian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Peterson of Thief River Falls, and Alvin Theodore Dahlstrom, son of Alfred Dahlstrom of Sanders were united in marriage at a candle-light service at 8:30 P. M., Saturday evening in the Evangelical Free Church at Thief River Falls. Rev. Elmer Dahlstrom of Worthington, brother of the groom, performed the ceremony in the presence of nearly two hundred relatives and friends. Attendants were Miss Ardis Relemon, cousin of the bride, maid of honor; Raymond Anderson, nephew of the groom; Miss Agnes Anderson and Hazel Knitter, bridesmaids; Marvin Thyrnen and Vernon Relemon, flower boys; and Bobby and Donny Dahlstrom, twin nephews of the groom, were ring bearer and train bearer, respectively. Following the ceremony a reception was given at which a wedding supper was served to the invited guests. Mr. and Mrs. Dahlstrom left for an extended trip to the Black Hills in South Dakota and other points. Upon return, they will make their home in Thief River Falls.

Friends in this community join in extending congratulations.

ENTERTAINS FOR SISTER
Mrs. Harry Winter was hostess Thursday to sixteen ladies at a 1 o'clock luncheon complimentary to her sister, Mrs. L. Davis who is a guest at her home. A very pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by all present.

At the Northern Minnesota conference of the Methodist church recently held at Hibbing, Rev. S. S. Olafson was named to the pastorate of the M. E. church at Thief River to succeed Rev. E. A. Cooke who, it is reported, has decided to retire. In event of resumption of services in the local church, the Thief River pastor will officiate here.

TENT MISSION MEETINGS
The large tent of the Lutheran Tent Mission was brought here Monday and set up on grounds adjacent to the Swedish church. Rev. O. G. Berg of Moorhead is the speaker at the services held at 8:00 P. M. each day, also on Sunday at 3:00 P. M.

THIEF RIVER WINS SUNDAY CONTEST

The St. Hilaire ball team, which up to Sunday had occupied top place in the Northern Minnesota League, beat Red Lake Falls by top honors when it dropped a game to Thief River here last Sunday by a score of 4 to 0. The visitors crossed the pan for a tally in the first inning. From then on both teams played straight ball until the eighth and ninth frames when a series of errors enabled the visitors to garner three more scores.

In other league games played last Sunday, Plummer beat Red Lake Falls by a score of 5 to 5, and Oklee topped the CCCs by a score of 4 to 3.

Nest Sunday the CCC team plays Red Lake Falls; there; Oklee plays Plummer at Plummer; and St. Hilaire goes to Thief River Falls for a return game.

FINAL PRACTICE LESSON
The final lesson of the project "Feeding the Family" was given last week by Inez M. Hart, nutritionist from University Farm, Miss Holm, discussed Low Cost Balanced Meals.

Group meetings will be held during the next ten days by the leaders at their meetings last week by Inez M. Hart, nutritionist from University Farm, Miss Holm, discussed Low Cost Balanced Meals.

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The county Check-up Day will be held in September or early October. Each training center will give a summarized report for seven groups. The reports will be given by Mrs. Frank Hilde, Mrs. Thomas Davis, Mrs. Jensen, and Miss Ethel Parnow.

Mrs. R. Kirkemo attended the 7th Dist. convention of Federated Women's Clubs at Pelican Rapids, Thursday and Friday. Also the club luncheon for Minn. Pinner club women held on Friday as a delegate from the local Women's Club.

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TRI-PARTY PICNIC TO BE HELD SUNDAY

Three well-known speakers will appear on the program at a Tri-Party public picnic to be held next Sunday afternoon and evening, June 30, at Maple Lake, nine miles west of Brakine and near Mentor, Minnesota. Sponsoring the event are the Thief River Falls and Crookston posts of the American Legion.

Addresses will be given beginning at 1:30 in the afternoon, by Hjalmer Peterson, Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner; Martin A. Nelson, Republican candidate for United States Senator; and Judge George P. Jones, prominent Democrat of Bemidji.

Other events on the day's program include a concert by the Ninth District American Legion band, carnival attractions, including riding devices and other amusements; roller skating at the Pavilion Sunday afternoon; and a carnival dance in the evening with music by Jack Mills and his orchestra.

Picnickers will bring their own lunches and coffee and other refreshments will be available on the grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gibaux and infant of Minneapolis, who were called to Red Lake Falls last week by the death of Mrs. Gibaux's father, visited here briefly Friday at the home of Mrs. Gibaux's sister, Mrs. M. H. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Kies of Chicago, who had spent the winter in Florida, returned here Tuesday to spend the summer months at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hansen. Mrs. Hansen and Mrs. Kies are sisters.

Dwight Kundert of Red Lake Falls has purchased the telephone system at Gary and is now in charge. His mother, Mrs. Pearl Kundert is assisting with office work at Gary until everything gets to working smoothly. Many needed improvements are to be made on the Gary line.

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JOINT PICNIC

The congregations of the Norwegian Lutheran church from Oakridge, St. Paul, Clearwater and St. Hilaire are holding a joint picnic at the St. Hilaire church Sunday, June 30th. Bring your picnic baskets for a noon lunch. Coffee will be served. Rev. Haugen from Crookston will be the speaker for the afternoon.

SAMUEL GIBBAUD DIES

Funeral services were held Saturday morning at Red Lake Falls for Samuel Gibaux, pioneer resident of that city, who died earlier in the week at a Crookston hospital after undergoing an operation. Mr. Gibaux was one of the county officials in Red Lake county some years ago and was well known to many of the older residents here as well as throughout the county. A likable, courteous man, he was held in high esteem by all who knew him, and will be missed by many friends in this section. Mr. Gibaux is survived by one son, George, and one grandchild at Minneapolis. His wife preceded him in death about a year ago.

Gigstad-Eng Wedding

Last Sunday at high noon at the Norwegian Lutheran church parsonage occurred the marriage of Miss Evelyn Gigstad, daughter of Mrs. Hilda Gigstad, to Roy Eng, Rev. M. L. Dahle read the service in the presence of Irene Eng and her husband, brother of the groom, and brother of the bride, respectively. Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's mother to about thirty relatives and close friends of the contracting parties. Mr. and Mrs. Eng left that evening for a short trip to the lake region, returning here Tuesday evening. For the present they will make their home with Mrs. Hilda Gigstad. Friends in village and community join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Eng lifelong happiness.

STAKING REA LINES

A surveying crew is at work staking out the Rural Electrification lines at Red Lake Falls and doing other preliminary work prior to start of construction work on the line itself. It is estimated over 15,000 poles will be used, also some hundreds of miles of wire.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bjerk of Fargo are here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bjerk's mother, Mrs. Ida Konikson, and other relatives. Walter holds down a responsible position with the Northwestern Bell system throughout North Dakota.

The interior lining of the new school gymnasium is about half done. Nearly all the concrete work is finished, and finishing work on both the exterior and interior of the building will soon get under way.

The final meeting at the Lutheran Tent Mission was held Sunday evening. The large tent was taken down Monday to be moved to another point. Good sized audiences attended all of the meetings held here.

Hatching



Tales About Town

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Jens Almquist is remodeling the barn on his farm west of the village.

Rud Kirkconnell spent several days last week visiting at Fargo, Moorhead and Crookston.

The weather man has promised showers for this section late today which will bring to complaint if they materialize.

Mrs. R. L. Haug returned Tuesday after visiting two weeks at the home of her son, Sam Haug at Hayfield, Minn.

All members of the county commission were here Tuesday, while making an inspection tour of state and county aid roads in this part of the county.

The village board of equalization met Monday and Tuesday to check assessments of real estate and personal property made by assessor Leo Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Olsen and son were here last week, and from Leonard for a visit with his relatives here, and with relatives of Mrs. Olsen at Thief River Falls.

A grand opening of the newly remodeled Redwood Inn was held last evening. A large crowd from the surrounding territory as well as from near-by towns attended the affair.

The fine new residence on the Anton Johnson farm in Rockbury is rapidly nearing completion. When the house is finished, Mr. Johnson will have one of the most modern sets of farm buildings in this community.

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An unusually large crowd attended the dance given here last Saturday evening at the Frontier pavilion.

A good sized crowd attended the band concert and moving picture show given Tuesday evening on the old rink ground.

Dorothy Kirkconnell, accompanied by Mrs. Kirwin Kinnella and son, David, of Thief River Falls, visited at the Kirkconnell home here Thursday.

Thos. Vollom, manager of the Garden Valley Telephone company was here yesterday afternoon from Brakine to inspect work being done on the line and central office.

Miss Marion Erickson of Karistad was a guest Sunday at the Gigstad-Eng wedding reception here. She left that evening enroute on a trip to southern states.

Work has been started on repair, remodeling and painting of the Swedish Lutheran parsonage on Water street. In addition to other work, a new porch will be built.

At the annual school election this week in Dist. No. 183 it was decided by a vote of 88 to 1 to keep the school closed this year as in the preceding two years. C. A. Swanson was re-elected clerk.

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P. O. MYHRUM IS DEAD

Peter O. Myhrum, age 51, long prominent in business circles at Thief River Falls, died at his home there last Thursday after a lingering illness. Employed for years by the Barnes Company and later identified with the Hardy North Seed house, besides being a member of the city council and of the Oakland Park Sanatorium commission for a long term of years, Mr. Myhrum was interested in different other activities of a civic nature. He was well known throughout all northern and western Minnesota. Surviving are his widow, one son and one daughter.

Funeral services were held Sunday at Trinity Lutheran church at Thief River Falls with interment at Greenwood cemetery.

Adrian Ohness left Sunday for a visit with his brothers, Sterling and Marvin at Westby, Wis. Marvin has completed his work for this season in the lumbering at Westby and will return home with Adrian after the two visit relatives in southern Minnesota.

It's hard to realize it, but midsummer has come and gone. Only about a week of what might be called real summer weather has prevailed in this section up to now. Perhaps half of the summer will make up for the early deficiency.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigvard Eng and son, Floyd, Glen and Robert of Park River, N. D., motored here Saturday for a visit at the home of Mr. Eng's brother Edward, and to be present Sunday at the wedding reception for their son and brother, Roy Eng and his bride.

John Tobin and other representatives of the Tobin Seed Company are here making preparations for starting stripping of June grass seed. About a hundred stripping machines will be moved in soon from points farther south where stripping work is now completed. A site for curing grounds is still to be decided upon, and when this is done work will be started immediately to prepare them to handle the seed.

FOR SALE — Grade Short-horn bull, age 8 months. Call at the farm 5 miles south of St. Hilaire, along T. H. No. 1 or address Mike Doda, Rt. 3, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

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CCC TEAM COMING FOR SUNDAY GAME

The CCC ball team from Thief Lake will be here next Sunday for another tilt with the local club, the CCC team. The CCC team which was a contender for top place in the league last season, has played in hard luck this season, and now has bottom places in standing.

Last Sunday the St. Hilaire took the short end of a 5-4 score when they met Thief River Falls there. From opening frame the CCC team apparently had the best of the contest, leading most of the time. In the sixth inning the eighth inning with the score 4-3 in favor of St. Hilaire, a Thief River batter connected for a nice two-bagger with two men on base, giving them one point lead to win.

Plummer and Thief River Falls are now tied for top place in the league. The team have won five and lost one, while the Plummer team have won four with four wins and two losses. St. Hilaire will play Plummer here on Friday, July 14. These teams have not met so far this season. Both of these games will likely furnish plenty of thrills for ball fans.

Mike Fricker will accompany his son, George, of Holt, tomorrow to Duluth and will later go to Minneapolis to spend a few days at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Milton Schantzen. George Fricker goes to Duluth as a delegate to the Democratic state convention.

Crops in this section are showing the effects of lack of moisture. Some grains are heading out at a height of a foot and less. In the country west of here along the St. Vincent and the Canadian border crop conditions are much worse.

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LOCAL BALL CLUB WINS SUNDAY GAME

The COC team of the Northern Minnesota League suffered another defeat last Sunday afternoon when they met the St. Hilaire team on local ground. The local boys seemed to have the edge over the visitors from the beginning and were able to connect for safe hits when they were most needed. The final score was 11 to 2. Woodrow Almqvist officiated on the mound for St. Hilaire instead of Wm. Hallamack who pitched for Okke that day. In other League games the same day, Plummer defeated Red Lake Falls, 11 to 8, and Thief River Falls won from Okke 6 to 0.

Thief River Falls are now tied for first place, each having won six games and lost one. St. Hilaire is next with five wins and 2 losses.

Next Sunday the local team goes to Plummer for a game with that team for this season. The following Sunday, the Plummer team will play here. A game with Okke at that place July 23 will complete the schedule for this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanson and family of St. Paul spent last weekend here at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arne Vik returned Wednesday from Grand Forks where they had spent two weeks receiving medical treatment. Their daughter, Mrs. W. L. Carlson of Minneapolis was with them.

LIGHTNING BRINGS STRANGE ACCIDENT

Freston—An electric storm recently passed over Eyota with a considerable display of lightning. Some time later Mr. Fred Salter of Eyota was found unconscious in his barn and nearby was a dead horse, apparently killed by lightning. Between them was another horse in a stall and it is surmised that he became frightened by the storm and that Mr. Salter was injured in trying to quiet him. The Eyota doctor was called and recovered the victim has suffered a serious skull fracture.

ONE THOUSAND PENNIES USED AS BAIL MONEY

Austin—One thousand pennies were given as bail by a Farmington man, Leo Carlson, arrested in Austin on an intoxication charge. The providing of the bail money in pennies was not done by Mr. Carlson as a joke. An operator of a vending machine, most of the money he had with him was in pennies, so he had no alternative.

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Sign up at an early date to insure prompt and efficient handling of your June Grass acreage.

ATTEND HAUGE FUNERAL

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at Bemidji for Russell Hauge, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hauge of that city who passed away Saturday. Relatives from St. Hilaire and other points who attended the funeral were: Mrs. R. L. Hauge, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson, Oscar and Maudy Hauge, Ed. Hauge, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roy and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hanson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bergh, Dan and Axel Johnson, Donald and Dorris Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jenson, Isabelle Rosendahl, all of St. Hilaire, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hauge of Hayfield, Minn., and Mrs. S. J. Hauge of Halstad, Berntha Hilde of Halstad, and Gordon Vigen of International Falls.

HAVE FAMILY GATHERING

On Sunday, June 30, the E. L. Wik home south of the village was the scene of a family gathering in honor of Mrs. Martha Wik and her husband, John Wik of Aberdeen, Wash., and Mrs. W. W. Dale of Minneapolis, aunt and cousin, respectively, of Mrs. Wik.

It was Mrs. Anson's first visit to Minnesota in twelve years during which period she lived with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahl. They returned home late that evening.

James A. Dahl motored here Friday from Olynor to call on friends and to look after matters in connection with the Dahl residence property in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ball and daughter, Patricia, Mabel and Ann Patterson of Minneapolis motored Saturday to Lake Lake and spent Sunday afternoon at the Anna L. Patterson cottage.

Crops in this locality, especially those on higher lands west of the river, are showing results of prolonged lack of rain. It is apparent now that the hay crop will be below normal for the same season.

Friends of Miss A. Flammé tendered her a surprise party Tuesday afternoon on her birthday anniversary. A very pleasant afternoon was spent, and lunch was served by the self-invited guests. Miss Flammé was presented with a purse of money as a reminder of the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Beebe and Gerald Stephens were at Maple Lake last Sunday to attend the tri-party picnic sponsored by the American Legion posts of Thief River and Crookston. Former Governor Hjalmar Peterson was the principal speaker for the occasion.

W. L. Carlson, who is employed by the Northern States Power Company at Minneapolis, came Saturday to spend a week at the Arne Vik home. Upon returning home Friday he will be accompanied by Mrs. Carlson who has spent about two weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vik.



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Dr. and Mrs. Manfred Daible of Glenwood spent last Sunday here with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahl. They returned home late that evening.

The Brink beehive factory has operated the past week turning out material for local apiarists.

Andrew Anderson, who resides two miles east of here, underwent an operation for a pediculitis Saturday at a Thief River hospital.

Ole E. Sande, connected with the State Department of Education, visited here Saturday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans L. Sande.

Mrs. Chas. Huff and daughter, Hazel of Chicago, and daughter Florence of Crookston came last week to visit at the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Robert Collins.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Black River Swedish Lutheran church for the three-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Anderson who died Thursday after a brief illness.

Regular monthly meeting of the village council was held Monday night. Aside from passing on the usual gift of bills, and ordering some needed ulsters, no special business was transacted.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Gunstad spent Saturday evening and Sunday at the Patterson cottage at Maple Lake. On returning home they were accompanied by Bob Brantner who will spend a week or more here.

The Tobin Seed Company has leased a tract of land from Z. Picard and are busy this week preparing it for a curing ground for June grass seed. Stripping of seed will be started either last of this week or first of next.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Graham of Glenwood spent Saturday visiting relatives at Bemidji and Wells, Minn.

Adrian and Marvin Olsson returned here Saturday from Westby, Wis., after visiting relatives in the southern part of this state. Marvin, who had been employed at a hatchery at Westby during the past season, will spend the summer here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Olsson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Skarbo and daughter of Grand Forks, accompanied by Mrs. S. J. Amble, motored over Sunday and spent the day at the A. V. Jacobson home. The two latter remained for a longer visit while Mr. and Mrs. Skarbo returned home Tuesday evening.

LEGION POST COMMANDER
TALKS AS LETTERS GO OUT
Gibert—Not a little embarrassed when he got up to give a talk was I. F. Giannotti American Legion postmaster here. Apparently there was light trouble at hand, for at each instance Mr. Giannotti was scheduled to speak, the lights went out. Finally several candles were lit and Mr. Giannotti was glad to make his talk in the semidarkness.

In Memoriam
In loving memory of our beloved son, Dewayne, who passed away one year ago, July 6. Just when your life was brightest,
Just when your years were best
You were called from this world of sorrow
To a home of eternal rest.
Sweet memories will linger forever
Time cannot change them
Your true
Years that may come cannot sever
Our loving remembrance of you.
Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Brink

RUSSELL'S RAGE DIES

Russell Jerome, 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hauge of Bemidji, died at the home of his parents early Saturday morning after a prolonged illness. The boy had been in ill health for more than two years with a heart affliction and the very little hope was held out for recovery, death was unexpected at this time.

Russell is survived by his parents, two brothers and two sisters, Chester, Norman, Lettie and Margie of Bemidji, besides a large number of relatives in this village and vicinity. Sympathy of friends here is extended to the bereaved family in their time of trial and sorrow.

The Grover Stephens and Cliff Schanzten families enjoyed a fishing trip Sunday to near Neptune with good success.

The local telephone exchange building of the Garden Valley Telephone Company has been completed and foundation of the exterior of the building is being prepared for stucco finish. Interior is to be well-oiled and refinished.

Mr. and Mrs. Steinar Flaten of Horse Creek, Sask., Canada, (the latter being a neighbor of the late Mrs. Flaten) arrived unexpectedly Sunday for a visit at the Arne Vik home. Mr. and Mrs. Flaten are spending a three weeks honeymoon touring the States.

A pre-nuptial shower for Mr. and Mrs. Steinar Flaten was held Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. E. Danneke with about forty people present. A sumptuous lunch was brought and served by the parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Olsson.

A joint picnic of the local Norwegian Lutheran church, including St. Paul, St. Hilaire, Clearwater and Oakridge was held Sunday at the local church. A good representation from each of the congregations was present, and a most enjoyable time was spent by them all. The Augusten of Crookston spoke during the afternoon.

CHILD NARROWLY
BATES AGAIN, HE SAYS
Austin—A five year old boy recently wandered onto the tracks at the darkened crossing and held up the Chicago Great Western train for about while. The train engineer and fireman saw the boy, and a most enjoyable time was spent by them all. The Augusten of Crookston spoke during the afternoon.

FISH ESCAPES HUT
BATES AGAIN, HE SAYS
Chaska—Fredrick Habeggen won't be able to tell the story about the one that got away, because all turned out all right in the end. Mr. Habeggen was fishing at Effert's lake when a big pike broke his fishing line and escaped. However, two days later he pulled in the very same fish with the hook and torn line still attached.

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Sunday, July 17th.

10 A. M., Worship and Bible

Classes, those enrolled in their

Bible Classes are expected to be

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8 P. M., Evangel. Special

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At the west side will in-

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Covenant Church—Black River,

Sundays at 11 A. M., Bible

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Augustana Lutheran Church

Rev. A. Larson, Pastor

Black River, Thursday, July

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CONTRACT LET FOR NEW ELECTRIC LINE

The Sorbness Construction Company of Jamestown, N. D., has been awarded a contract for construction of the new rural electric line of the Red Lake Electric Co-operative, Inc., in Marshall, Pennington, Red Lake and Polk counties on its bid of \$142,180.00.

Surveyors are at work now staking out the line, and actual construction work is expected to get under way by the first of August if not before. Approximately 240 miles of line will be built under this contract. After the line is built and in operation, it is quite likely extensions will be requested by other communities when they discover the advantages of having electric service. Nearly all of the line to be built this summer are east of the Red Lake river.

RAIN HERE YESTERDAY

The first rain here of any consequence for some weeks fell yesterday. It served to refresh gardens and pastures to some extent, but more is needed to be to benefit crops. Cooler weather has prevailed since the rain.

M. R. Graham and H. L. Holmes left last evening over the Soo for St. Paul in connection with matters pertaining to the local school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole R. Sande and family returned Sunday to their home at St. Paul after visiting a week or more with relatives here and at near Thier River Falls.

Repair work is under way on the Swedish Lutheran church in charge with John Scholin in charge. A new inclosed porch is being built, and other improvements will be made.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Graham and daughter returned Monday after a short visit with relatives at Bertha, Minn. Yesterday Mrs. Graham went to the hospital at Thier River Falls to undergo a tonsil operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Satterberg returned Monday after having spent the Fourth and end of the week with Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Fellman and Mr. and Mrs. Sig. Eng of Minneapolis, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Adams of St. Paul at a lake near Brainerd.

DANCE To music of Lars Olson's LADIES DANCE

BAND
(The talent that elicits)
Saturday, July 13
at the
FRONTIER PAVILION
St. Hilaire

HONOR MR. AND MRS. ENGH

Following a Lutheran League program at the Norwegian Lutheran church last evening, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Engh, whose marriage occurred last month, were honored by members of the League and other friends in the community at a social session. Impromptu talks were given by several people to which appropriate response was made by the honored couple. Mr. and Mrs. Engh were presented with lovely gifts by their friends as tokens of remembrance of the happy occasion. Serving of lunch closed the evening's festivities.

McKERCHER LOSES LEG IN ACCIDENT

R. J. McKercher, prominent local dairyman and farmer, suffered injuries in a distressing accident Monday afternoon, from which necessitated amputation of his right leg below the knee.

Mr. McKercher was assisting with some work on a June grass stripping unit on a tract west of his home place when the accident occurred. Following a stop for lunch, Mr. McKercher had just seated himself on the stripping machine when in some unaccountable manner his trouser leg became caught by the dogs on the operating chain which drew the limb around the shaft before the machine could be stopped. Fortunately, his daughter, Arlene, a registered nurse, had brought out the lunch, and she with her brothers were able to work the machine back, otherwise the unfortunate man would have had to die.

He was taken immediately to a Thier River hospital where examination disclosed injuries of such nature that amputation of the leg was decided upon. He himself on the operation and resting well now with good prospects of ultimate recovery.

Mrs. Norman Bergh and children leave soon to spend a week with relatives at Bemidji. Mr. and Mrs. Joe LaPlante and children of Crookston visited briefly with friends here last Sunday.

Rosella, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Haug is back home after being a patient for a week at a Thier River Falls hospital.

Strawberries are selling locally at as low as ten cents a quart, the lowest price in years. A plentiful supply of moisture in the berry raising districts has brought along a bumper crop of here. Large mounds of seed are spread out on the grounds here, and more is coming in hourly.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Reiersgard and sons of Pasquot, and Mrs. T. M. Skarud and daughter LaVaughn of Argyle were here last evening to attend the reception given for Mr. and Mrs. Roy Engh at the Norwegian Lutheran church.



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Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Brink and Thos. Adolphson left yesterday with their house trailer for a fishing trip at Leech Lake.

Miss Emma Narvason motor-upt Sunday from Crookston for a visit with her cousin, Miss Hilda Gistad, at the Gistad home.

Work was resumed Monday morning on the new school addition following a shutdown period during Fourth of July week.

The Norwegian Lutheran Ladies' Aid will be entertained Friday, July 12 by Mrs. H. E. Hanson, Mrs. W. J. Janda and Misses Helge and Amanda Kaland.

Dr. D. S. Horn of Ulen spent Tuesday and yesterday here attending to his local dental practice. He is scheduled to be here again on Monday and Tuesday, Aug. 5th and 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson and son of Minneapolis spent the Fourth and last week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wilson, and at the home of Mr. Wilson's sister, Mrs. A. W. Brink.

Using upward of a hundred stripping machines, the Toia Seed Company is getting out considerable June grass seed especially in the territory east of here. Large mounds of seed are spread out on the grounds here, and more is coming in hourly.

Fourth of July and last week-end guests at the N. E. Beebe home were Mrs. Linnie Cross-well and Miss Grace Robb of Mankato, and Mrs. Beebe's sister, Lena Just of Rapidan. Miss James Beebe, O. Gustad and V. Lindquist spent Saturday at Itasca state park and Bemidji.

Miss Arlene McKercher, R. N., employed in a Chicago hospital, came Friday to spend a short vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McKercher.

The postoffice at Red Lake Falls has operated on second class basis since July 1st. Increased business the past year has warranted change from third to second class which puts that office in the same classification as Crookston and Thier River Falls.

Roy Wallen, Mrs. R. Wallen, and Miss Hazel Wallen motor-upt here Thursday from Minneapolis and spent the week-end at the homes of Mrs. Wallen's sister and brother, Mrs. Hilda Gistad and Anton E. Anderson, and with other relatives and former neighbors in this community. They returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Otto Johnson, entertained a group of friends Monday in honor of her mother, Mrs. E. L. Haug, whose 82nd birthday anniversary occurred that day. A pleasant afternoon was spent and lunch was served. Present were Mesdames R. E. Burkes, G. Bakko, H. Gistad, Aug. Svenson, M. Dahle, H. Winter, L. Davis, A. S. Wilson and N. Bergh.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gistad and Miss Hilda Gistad of St. Paul, accompanied by St. Paul, accompanied by Mrs. Ernest Lyon of Forest Lake motor-upt here Wednesday evening last week, the first to visit at the Knute Kolaas and Mrs. Hilda Gistad homes, and Mrs. Lyon to visit at the Frank Peterson, Anton Johnson and Mrs. Gustad homes. They left this morning enroute to their respective homes.

4-H TRAINING SOCIETY

Adult and junior leaders of the 4-H clubs in Pennington County will attend a leaders' training camp July 11-14. This camp will be held at the Lutheran Bible camp on Rainey River.

Some of the leaders to attend this camp from Pennington county are: Mrs. J. A. Erickson, Mrs. Ayers, Alice Knutson, Mrs. Friday Engquist, Ruby Engquist, Elsie Hanson, Bernice Halvorson, and Elaine Pearson.

The other counties to be in attendance at this camp are: Lake of the Woods, Roseau, Marshall, Kittson, and Koochiching.

PIONEER RESIDENT OF COMMUNITY DIES

Mrs. Josephine Nelson, age 74, long-time resident of this village and community, died Tuesday evening at a Thier River Falls hospital where she had been a patient several days. Though not in best of health for some years, Mrs. Nelson was able to be about until her last illness.

Mrs. Nelson was born in Gogeb, Sweden on May 21, 1862. Ten years later she came with her parents to this country to reside for a time in Michigan before coming to this village.

Following her marriage to Herman Nelson, they resided in and near St. Hilaire for many years, later moving to Camp near Baudette where Mr. Nelson died eight years ago. After the death of her husband, Mrs. Nelson returned here, and in the year she has made her home near her brother, H. O. Jack-son. Known to everyone in the village as Aunt Nelson, she was a kindly, generous woman and will be sadly missed by all her old friends.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday at 2:30 P. M., at the local Swedish Lutheran church with Rev. H. A. Larson officiating. Burial will be made in the cemetery east of the village where others of her family are interred.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the trustees of the Black River Lutheran Church, will, on Saturday, July 20th, 1940, at 7 o'clock P. M., sell to the highest bidder, the following described buildings, situated on the church grounds, where the sale will be held.

One barn 24x54 ft. with 8-ft. post, and one barn 14x32 ft. with 8-ft. post.

The trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids offered.

Board of trustees, Black River Lutheran church.

James A. Dahl motored here Friday from Glyndon to look after affairs concerning the Dahl residence property.

LOSE TO PLUMMER IN SUNDAY GAME

The local ball team took the short end of a 5 to 1 score when it met Plummer in those teams last Sunday afternoon for the first meeting of those teams this season. St. Hilaire opened the scoring by taking its only tally in the opening frame. The fifth inning proved to be the lucky one for Plummer when five batters hit and netted them five runs with one man left on base. Aside from the first and fifth innings, the fight ball was played by both teams in one of the best contests in the Northern Minnesota League this season. Hal-nack and Jackson were the battery for St. Hilaire.

Nest Sunday the Plummer team came here in their return game which undoubtedly will be just as equally as interesting as last Sunday's game.

Red Lake Falls beat Okeech-19-3 last Sunday. The game between Thier River Falls and the OOC team was postponed.

Olsen-Harder
Miss Clara Olson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Olson of Black River and Lawrence Harder, son of Mrs. Mark Harder, were married Saturday, June 29 in a ceremony performed at Thier River Falls. The young couple, who are well known in the village and vicinity will join in extending congratulations to friends and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Harder.

In Appreciation
I wish to express my sincere appreciation and thanks to all who visited me during my illness and stay at the hospital. Ladies' Aid and friends; also for the letters and fruit I received. Also to Ethel Whitt who stayed with me one night.

Card of Thanks
We take this means of sincerely thanking all those who assisted us during the illness and after death of our darling daughter and sister, Barbara Ann, Mrs. and Melvin Anderson and Leland.

A fire of unknown origin destroyed a pile of stovewood in the rear of the Walter Olson residence July 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bainbridge of Galesburg, Iowa were here last week-end for a visit at the Corbett home and with other friends in this section. They were touring northern Minnesota and up along the Canadian border. James is a son of Geo. Bainbridge who resided here for some years ago. They returned home Sunday.

Refrigerated Lockers

Our new cold storage locker plant is finished and in operation. A few compartments are still available.

Store your own meat, and call for it as needed. Cooling, cutting and packaging of meats for those who desire it.

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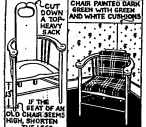
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St. Louis, Mo. 1920. Dolex light plant, 1000 watts. Electric motor, 1000 watts. 211-1st Avenue South, St. Louis, Mo.

ROLLS DEVELOPED
St. Louis, Mo. 1920. Dolex light plant, 1000 watts. Electric motor, 1000 watts. 211-1st Avenue South, St. Louis, Mo.

Old High-Back Chair
Changes Personality

HERE comes the bride again! Many of you have met her in Sewing Book 5. She is the same resourceful young lady whose adventures with an old dresser, a fish bowl and a plant were described in that book; and who remodeled one of the old rockers in Book 5. Today's sketch shows another of her slight 'n' hand tricks with a chair.

There it was in a junk shop window. "Did you ever see anything



so impossible!" I said. "It looks like a pompous old duffer with a compass." And a little while later, "Yes, but I think its personality could be changed." I can see it as a jolly little old lady sitting in the corner with a glass of lemonade and a book in her lap. The next time I went to see the bride, there was the chair sitting in a corner painted a cheerful green and with white glazes. The legs had been shortened, as shown here, and the pompous old heavy back had been cut down. That was all, but the change was complete. If you are interested in adventures in home-making be sure to send for Book 5. It has 32 pages of money saving ideas that you can put to use at once. Send order to:

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AT THE Churches

Augustana Lutheran Church

St. H. L. Larson, Pastor
Black River: Friday, 8 p. m. for the League at Mr. John Swanson's. Program to be given by Clara church Luther League.

Sunday 10:00 a. m. Sunday school 8:00 p. m. Confirmation class 8:00 p. m. by a quartette representing the Minnesota society of Gustavus Adolphus Church, St. Peter.

Tarps, St. Hilare: Friday 9:45 a. m. Confirmation class. Sunday, 8:30 a. m. Service. 10:00 a. m. Sunday school. 8:00 p. m. Confirmation class 8:30 p. m. W. M. Larson, Pastor.

St. Hilare N. L. Church
St. H. L. Larson, Pastor
Sunday, July 11th, St. Hilare. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. Aid Friday the 12th, 8 p. m. Confirmation class same day at 8:00 a. m.

Clearwater services Sunday at 8:00 a. m.
Oak Ridge: Sunday school, 10 a. m. Luther League, 8 p. m. Pastor R. M. Fjeld speaking.

St. Pauli Luther League services at 8 p. m.

Mission Covenant Church
R. W. Wiberg, Pastor
410 S. Paul Ave.
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phone 1049-R

Sunday, July 14th, 10 a. m. Worship and Bible school. Pastor O. J. Lundell will preach the sermon.

Thursday, July 25th, 7 p. m. meeting at the Dahlstrom home.

Gov. Stassen to Speak at Detroit Lakes Saturday
Governor Harold Stassen will be the most notable guest attending the fifth annual northwest Water Carnival & is staged Friday, Saturday and Sunday, July 12, 13, and 14, by the Detroit Lakes Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Governor Stassen has given assurance of being in Detroit Lakes on Saturday night, July 13, to appear in the spectacular carnival parade at 7:30 and to speak at the following 8 p. m. in the municipal lake park. The Governor's talk will be broadcast over station WDAY, Fargo.

4000-Year-Old Bread Found
Bread is the oldest prepared food created by the human race. Bread, baked approximately 4,000 years ago has been found in an Egyptian tomb.

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Write motorists from coast-to-coast about Fire-Chief gasoline. They know this is the price you can't beat. They know this is the quality you can't beat. They know this is the service you can't beat. They know this is the value you can't beat. They know this is the reason why Fire-Chief is the best, braver power in the quickest drive. Write!

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HAZEL

A quartet from the Clara church conducted the weekly singing visitors at the Hans Loken home in Smiley.

Miss Mayme Anderson accompanied by Mrs. and Peter Vik of Thief River Falls and Miss Frances L. Vik of Little Rock Ark. spent the Fourth of July at the Lars Bronson.

Misses Naomi and Mary Jane Johnson entertained a group of girls at a tea last Wednesday afternoon in honor of their house guest, Miss Irma Billgren of Ray, N. Dak. Those present included Misses Irma Billgren, Myrtle Pearson, Olive Almqvist, Eva Larson, Vivian Burdell, Octavia Larson, Gladys Albert, Mayme Anderson, Olaf Wilson, Naomi and Mary Jane Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Borgie are the proud parents of a 10½ lb. son born Sunday, June 30. Mr. and Mrs. John Hofstad of Grand Rapids, Minn., spent the Fourth of July visiting at the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mrs. and Oscar Borgie.

Mrs. Paul Borgie, Hazel and Axel Borgie of Fargo, N. Dak., were Saturday dinner guests at the home of Mrs. and Oscar Borgie.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Klinger and family of Brimfield, N. Dak., motored Sunday to Hazel and spent the week-end visiting with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Oeggaard.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie LaCourse, who reside at Dorville and Delton, Mrs. Ingrid Sandberg of Oslo spent Sunday visiting at the Herman Sandberg home. The latter remained for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Palm and son, and Miss Valberg Palm of Minneapolis and Mrs. Carl Pinstad were Saturday afternoon visitors at the Ole Oeggaard home.

Friday visitors at the Oscar Borgie home were Mrs. Paul Borgie, Robert and Axel Borgie, Mrs. Ole Oeggaard, Mrs. Peter Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Arnes, Mrs. Adrian Anderson and Mayme Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Oeggaard accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Syver Holmes of Thief River Falls returned home Wednesday evening after spending three days visiting with relatives and Olson at Yellowknife Park.

Mrs. Paul Borgie, Hazel, Axel and Robert Borgie returned Sunday to their home at Fargo, N. Dak. after spending a week at the Peter Nelson and Ole Oeggaard homes. They were accompanied to Fargo by Mrs. Peter Nelson and daughter, Gladys, Mrs. Hannah Johnson and Axel Rasmussen, who spent the day visiting there, returning the same evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carlson of Thief River Falls were guests Monday evening at the Oscar Peterson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Oeggaard and Mrs. Morris Oeggaard and children of Thief River Falls motored Sunday to Conville where they visited at the Erling Prestly home.

Ernest Stetting, Reuben and Harvey Oeggaard enjoyed a day fishing trip to Northome over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Vik of Thief River Falls, Miss Frances Vik of Little Rock, Ark. and Mrs. Herman Sandberg and children, Mrs. Ingrid Sandberg were 5:30 dinner guests Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Anderson.

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Mrs. Orville Snyder and children, Mrs. Martha Loken, Margaret Loken, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ruess and children, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mosbeck and children enjoyed a picnic dinner at Tundulph park at Thief River Falls the Fourth of July.

BLACK RIVER
Mr. and Mrs. Otto Erickson and family of Red Lake Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Landmann and son were visitors on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lindman.

Miss Grace Erickson visited from Monday until Wednesday with guests at Grand Forks. The Black River congregation of the Swedish Lutheran church held its annual picnic at the C. E. Naplin home on July 4th. A very fine Lappeau was served by the Ladies' Aid and in the afternoon the Luther League gave a program. Rev. Elmer Lindholm from Rosau was speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Vande Streek visited Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Jacobson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ensky and children motored to Grygla on Sunday. Their four children, the Jimmy Frank, George Richard, Miss Innette and Jack Ensky were baptized at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Knute Sandvik, Rev. S. T. Anderson of Grygla officiating and sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Knute Sandvik.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sweet and Mrs. Edna Erickson, and Mrs. and Mrs. V. G. G. and John Stavanger enjoyed a picnic dinner at Plummer on the Fourth of July.

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The following were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Harder, Miss Hazel Adolphson, Bill and Hilding Adolphson, Clarence Neisham of Warroad.

The Luther League of the Black River church will be held Friday evening, July 12th, at the church. Program will be given by the Clara Luther League.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Wick and Mrs. Edward Voss, Elaine and David Maddock, N. D., are visiting relatives and friends here.

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BRAY

The following families who attended the 4th of July celebration at Argyle were Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Scholz and family, Annie Lindquist and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Erickson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Magnusson, Glen and Emil of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Anderson of Roy, Minnesota, were guests at the George Swanson home on the 4th.

Mr. Carl Mosbeck, Gilbert Scholten and Vernon Mosbeck gave a program at the Oakland Park Sanatorium at Thief River Falls Sunday forenoon.

John Sandberg of Yakima, Washington and son Carl of Seattle, Wash., Mrs. Justus Johnson of Minneapolis and Mrs. Emma Schuster of Red Lake Falls were Wednesday visitors at the Carl Mosbeck home.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Erickson, Rudolph and Marie of Polk Centre, Grace and Myrtle of Minneapolis were Wednesday evening guests at the Alfred Lindquist home.

The Black River Luther League held its 4th annual picnic at the Swanson home Friday evening. The Clara church of Warroad will present the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Olson and family and Arlo Jacobson of St. Hilare were Friday evening visitors at the St. N. Olson home.

Mrs. Reuben Rux, Russell and Ralph and Janet motored to Fargo Wednesday to visit with Mr. Rux who is a patient at the Veterans' hospital at Fargo.

Mrs. Victor Peterson and Donald of Thief River Falls, several days visiting at the Gert Johnson home.

Miss Innette and Evelyn Thymen of Hazel were Tuesday visitors at the John Scholten home.

Miss Laura Hegstad left Sunday morning for Mankato after visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hegstad.

JORDAN GOLFER SOCIETY
COVERED HOLE-NONE
The Jordan Golf Society of the New Prague municipal golf course on Longy Pustinger, one of the most scenic golf farms. Mr. Pustinger made his hole-in-one on the 110 yard fourth hole of the course. Only once before in the history of the course at New Prague has a hole-in-one been made. A golf hole-in-one occurs about as rarely as a bridge player holding a thirteen spade.

Swiss Bank Finance Authority
Switzerland has organized the Swiss Finance plan to promote service and restrict all activities of the motion-picture industry.

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From 1915 Spectator Files
O. Anberg, cashier of the newly organized Farmers State Bank, moved here with his family from Aneta, N. Dak.

The river at this point was subsiding after being near flood stage several days because of very heavy rains.

The St. Hilare lunch furnished music for a big celebration and Old Settlers picnic held July 6th at Rosau.

A new bank to be called the Citizens State Bank was being organized at Hazel.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunard Lindquist and son came down from Stowien, Can., to spend a couple of days with relatives and friends.

Cap Capital
Capital invested in United States stock and bonds totaling \$1,000,000 or more than 10 for every man, woman and child in the nation, according to the Automobile Manufacturers association.

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AT THE Churches

St. Hilaire N. L. Church
M. L. Dahl, Pastor
Sunday, July 21st Services
St. Hilaire Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Confirmation class, evening
Thursday 9:30
Catholic Services 9:30 a. m.
Sunday School following
Outside Ladies aid at Assn.
by's home July 24, at 8 p. m.

Evang. Mission Covenant Church
Roy N. Wiberg, Pastor
410 S. St. Paul Ave.
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Phone 1043-B
Sunday, July 21st, 10 A. M.
Sermon and Bible classes.
Remember Sunday School begins
at 10 o'clock every Sunday.
Thursday, July 25th (even-
ing)

CLERKS-TREASURERS ANNUAL REPORT
ST. HILAIRE SCHOOL DIST. 192
YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1940

RECEIPTS
Cash on hand from last school year

Received from State:
A. Apportionment \$542.41
B. Special State Aid 9,216.04
Received from Local Taxes:
A. Last One Mill Tax 71.89
B. Tax for Maintenance 1,722.15
C. Tax for Bonds & Interest 888.54
D. Other Local Tax Receipts 1,771.71
Non Revenue Receipts: 79.53
A. Sale or Rent of Text Books 2,049.23
B. Other Non-Revenue Receipts 1,432.82
Outstanding Orders

Total Receipts \$22,914.49

EXPENDITURES \$ 525.69

General Control
Instruction:
A. Teachers' Salaries 7,000.00
B. Text Books 2,000.00
C. Library Books 96.57
D. General Supplies 291.17
Operation of Plant:
A. Janitor's Salary 900.00
B. Fuel 500.00
C. Lights & Power 112.03
D. Supplies 177.90
E. Other Expenses of Operation 1,560.00
Maintenance:
A. Repair of Buildings 2,000.00
B. Repair & Replacing Equipment 375.51
Auxiliary Agencies:
A. Transportation Expenses 1,651.51
B. Other Auxiliary Expenses 115.90
Fixed Charges:
A. Insurance 375.51
Capital Outlay:
A. New Buildings & Additions 44,415.15
B. New Equipment 4,214.35
C. Spomer's Share WPA Project 1,560.00
Debt Service:
A. Interest on Bonds 600.00
B. Bonds Retired

Total Expended \$21,701.72
Cash on Hand June 30, 1940 1,212.77

Aggregate Bonded Indebtedness \$23,914.40
Balanced at St. Hilaire, Minn., July 10, 1940.

H. L. HOLMES, Clerk.
RICHARD LARSON, Treasurer.

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ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR, ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

lag) Y. P. S. meeting at 7 o'clock
Sunday evening, July 28th.
The Lord's supper will be com-
municated at the close of the
evening service. Every church
member ought to be present.
Believers who are not members
are invited to partake. There
will be a service for the entire
public at 8 P. M. preceding the
sacrament of the Lord's Sup-
per.

Covenant Chapel, Black River
Bible School every Sunday at
11 A. M.

BRAY
A host of neighbors and
friends went to congratulate
Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Jacobson of
St. Hilaire who were married
Sunday, Mrs. Jacobson will be
remembered as Miss Darlene
Olson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Walter Olson who were resi-
dents of this community.

Richard Tracy and Joe Her-
bert of Grand Forks, Minn., and
Mrs. George Angelo of Lar-
more, North Dakota were Sun-
day afternoon guests at the J.
O. Swanson home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bauer and
Mrs. Emma of Emerson, N. Dak.
Helmer Peterson of Kempton,
N. Dak., were Sunday guests at
the Olson home.

Miss Mae Lindquist under-
went an appendicitis operation
at the St. Luke's hospital at
Thief River Falls Tuesday
morning. We all wish her a
speedy recovery.

Wednesday evening guests at
the N. P. Scholz home were
Mr. Melvin Voldness and La-
Valiere, Miss Leona Olson all
of Chicago, Miss Valma Vold-
ness and Mrs. Alvin Comstock

BLACK RIVER
Mrs. Clarence Hallstrom and
daughter, Janice of Thief River
Falls spent a few days at the
home of her father, Felix An-
derson, at the J. O. Swanson home.

Sunday dinner guests at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred
Hallstrom were: Mr. and Mrs.
Edgar Naplin and Donald Nel-
son of Crookston, Minn., and
Hank, Kent and Lelloy of
Hallock and Mr. and Mrs. C. E.
Harris of Thief River Falls.

Mr. Albert Severe and daugh-
ter Alice were Sunday visitors
in the Gene Severe home in
Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunnar Lind-
quist, Mrs. Harry Olson and
Joan and Jack were Crookston
callers on Saturday.

Miss Mary Haverstick and
Joan and Jack were Crookston
callers on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Sweet and daugh-
ter, Elaine, of Eldred arrived
here on Saturday to spend a
few days at the home of her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. G.
Sweet.

Mrs. C. E. Naplin and daugh-
ter Jane were Friday after-
noon visitors at the home of
Mrs. Swan Johnson.

Mr. Leroy Hanson of Hal-
lock spent the week-end at the
home of his friend Wilbur Hal-
strom.

Mr. Aund Wiken is visiting
with his daughter Hannah Han-
nah at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Carl Lundberg.

Miss Mae Lundberg left
Thursday for the 4-H Training
camp which was held on the
campus of the Lutheran Bible
College. She returned to her
home here on Sunday.

Carl Erickson and daughter
Ellen of Crookston and Mrs.
Anna Lindholm of Minneapolis
visited at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Martin Erickson on Fri-
day.

Miss Doris Severe who is em-
ployed in Thief River Falls
spent the week-end with her
mother, Mrs. Albert Severe.

HAZEL
Sunday dinner guests at the
Martha Loken home were: Mr.
and Mrs. Henry Lappagard and
children, Mr. and Mrs. Har-
man Rude and children of
Smiley.

Mrs. Oscar Seeland and Mrs.
Lawrence Peterson of Thief
River Falls visited with friends
at the Olson home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Ander-
son left Saturday evening for
Minneapolis for a visit with
friends until Tuesday. They
also attended the "Stranvamsa"
on Sunday at Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baum of
Highland were Sunday
evening visitors at the Carl Al-
berg home.

Miss Kaye Bremseth who is
employed at the Radcliffe
Hotel at River Valley spent the
week-end visiting with her pa-
rents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert
Bremseth.

The Clara Louche League will
meet at Mr. John Lohman's home
Friday evening, July 19th, 1940.
The Black River League is
going the program.

Mr. Hans John Johnson of her
home at Los Angeles, Calif.
Thursday evening.

Miss Mary Haverstick of
Minneapolis, Minn., who
she will visit her sister Herbert
and family at the home of
her mother. She was accom-
panied by her sister, Mrs. Pete
Hansen and her Minneapolis
home, they will visit friends

few days.

Art Anderson of Grygby, Minn.,
and Mrs. Herman Sandberg and
children, Mrs. Ingrid Sandberg
and children, Sunday visitors at the
Adrian-Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Truett
and children visited last
Tuesday evening at the Orville
Syder home.

Pete Guersard spent Sunday
visiting at Brooks with friends
and relatives.

Miss Phoebe Anderson spent
a few days last week with her
sister Mrs. Herman Sandberg at
Orville Syder, who visited
here the past week returned

Thursday to Willmar accom-
panied by his wife and children,
who have been making their
home here the past two
months.

James Gilbertson and Paul
Gilbertson left last Tuesday for
Baudette to visit with their
daughter and sister, Mrs. Al
Jensen and at Birchdale with
Carl Erickson.

Miss Ruth Hillgren left Mon-
day for her home at Ray, N.
Dak. after spending the past
month visiting at the Red Olson
home and other friends.

Thursday visitors included Mr.
and Mrs. Thomas Christianson of
Larimore, N. Dak., Mr. and
Almquist, Alton, Woodrow and
Olive of St. Hilaire, Mr. and
Mrs. Harold Holmes and John-
Billy, of St. Hilaire and Mr.
and Mrs. Martin Finstad and daugh-
ter Janice and Paul Cobb of
Minneapolis visited these Sun-
days.

Edward Pat Cobb of Minneap-
olis will spend the remainder of
the summer with his wife and
children, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Fin-
stad. His mother, Mrs. Al Cobb,
is expected to spend two weeks
in this vicinity the latter part
of August.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson
and Curtis motored Sunday to
Gary where they were present
at a church wedding annu-
versary.

Mr. Lorenzson of Chicago,
Ill., brother of Mrs. M. L. Dahl
was the speaker at the Sunday
evening Lutheran church at
St. Paul church.

Graveling work on three local
roads were completed last week.
The Chasle Construction Co.
of Royalton motored Tuesday
from the gravel pit south of
Hazel.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Olegarsen
spent Saturday visiting at Gully
at the Louis Asa home.

Mr. Simon Ström (nee
Eather Turquist) is a house
guest at the Paul Thyrén home.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gustafson
and family, Edgar, Maurice and
Cyrus Peterson, Ethel Mae and
Jimmy Ström, all of the vic-
inity and Edna Helmer of
Plummer were Sunday visitors
at the William Rinkenberg
home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rinkenberg
who is employed in Thief
River Falls spent the day at
her parental home.

Andrew Anderson is report-
ed recuperating nicely after an
appendicitis operation which he
underwent recently. He is a
patient at the St. Luke's hospi-
tal at Thief River Falls.

Little Ellen Carlson, who
last week had the misfortune
to run two nails into her foot,
is now able to walk around as
usual.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Nelson,
daughter Gladys and Mrs. Han-
nah Johnson of Los Angeles,
Calif., motored Sunday to De-
troit Lakes where they enjoyed
a picnic dinner and also attend-
ed the water carnival. On their
return trip they visited with
the former's brother, Carl John-
son and family near McIntosh.

Miss Mae Olegarsen left last
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with her grandmother, Mrs.
Sime Evenson and aunt, Gun-
hild at Krakra.

Mrs. Adrian Anderson, May-
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at the Peter Vik home at Thief
River Falls. They visited also
with Miss Frances Vik of Little
Rock, Arkansas, who was visit-
ing at her parental home.

Ole Peterson, Mrs. Hannah
Johnson, Mrs. Pete Nelson and
Gladys Nelson spent Saturday
evening visiting with Mrs. Mary
Sherva at St. Hilaire.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Board of Education of School
Dist. 102 held its regular meet-
ing at the high school building
on July 16, 1940, and was called
to order by the chairman Mrs.
E. Hanson at 8 P. M. All
members present.

Minutes of the last regular
meeting were read and approved
as read.

Motion made by Jackson and
seconded by Brink that the
treasurer's bond be set at \$2,
000 and a surety bond for that
amount be purchased.

Motion carried.

Motion made by Larson and
seconded by Jackson that the
following bills be allowed:
Harvor & Grace & Co.,
grade texts, \$26.54
Bible & Oester Naphth,
D. H. Long, elec. expense 10.80
Mrs. Carl Pearson, board
and room, electrician, 21.00
Chawwater Lumber Co.,
lumber, gym 283.51
Standard Oil Co., gas
and oil 24.80
Jelly Kow Thomson Co.,
electrical supplies, gym 304.56
Burlington Lumber Co.,
lumber, gym 17.00
American Radiator Co.,
plumbing supplies, gym 220.00
Chawwater Lumber Co.,
Danielson Bros. Elec. Co.,
electrical supplies 67.00
Stewart-Daniels Co.,
lumber 29.50
Wm. Olson, repairing
molds 4.25
Martin Halstrom, truck-
ing lumber 29.50
Northern States Power
Co., lights & power 7.32
J. A. Pederson, hand in-
structor 1/2 mo. 16.00
Erm. Wm. Olson, grave
digger 31.85
M. A. Highland, fruit
& fueling bin 5.70
Nickle Dress, hauling
gravel, gym 113.75
Motion carried.

Motion made by Larson and
seconded by Beebe that Elmer
Johnson be rehired as bus driver
on west route for the coming
year at a salary of \$65.00 per
month for nine months.

Motion carried.

Motion made by Larson and
seconded by Brink that Ed-
Bing be rehired as bus driver
on east route for the coming
school year at a salary of \$65
per month. Motion carried.

Motion made by Brink and
seconded by Larson that Mike
Fricker be rehired as janitor
for the coming year at a salary
of \$75.00 per month. Motion
carried.

Motion made by Jackson and
seconded by Larson that the
reignation of Ardis Mills as
grade teacher be accepted. Mo-
tion carried.

Motion made by Jackson and
seconded by Larson that Char-
lotte Larson be hired as first
and sixth grade teacher for the
coming school year at a salary
of \$75.00 per month. Motion
carried.

No further business, motion
for adjournment carried.

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Mrs. Eleanor Hanson,
Chairman.

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SEVERE WINDSTORM HITS NORTHWEST

Many communities in northwestern Minnesota in a stretch reaching from Grand Forks east to Bemidji and south as far as Detroit Lakes are busy cleaning up debris following a severe windstorm early Wednesday morning. In the area mentioned trees were uprooted, branches broken, small buildings overturned, windmills were blown down and other damage is reported. Accompanying the Wednesday morning storm was a heavy rain which helped to break the heat wave in which this section had sweated for a week. Temperatures dropped from above 80 degrees to around 70 immediately following the rain.

A similar storm, though not so severe, occurred early Tuesday morning bringing much needed moisture for this section of the state where crops, pastures and gardens were beginning to show effects of prolonged lack of moisture.

Travelers coming through yesterday from points east in the Bemidji area report that they were temporarily blocked by fallen trees, and that considerable damage to small buildings and timber was noted in that section.

A. A. TROST FOR JUDGE

Arnold A. Trost, County Attorney of Marshall County, who has been actively engaged in practice of law at Warren since 1930, has filed as a candidate for Judge of the District Court in the Fourteenth Judicial district. He is now serving his second term as County Attorney, having been elected in 1934 and re-elected in 1938. He has taken active interest in civic and community affairs in the northwestern part of the state and has many friends throughout the district. While filing as Attorney Trost, Warren will have two candidates for Judge in the field in opposition to the present Judge A. M. Brattland of Thief River Falls and Judge Montague of Crookston.

HARVESTING STARTED

Harvesting of small grains, especially oats, has started on some farms in this section of the county. Very high temperatures the past week has served to hasten the ripening of grain, and it is likely harvest will be a week to ten days earlier than usual. Some fields look exceptionally good while others appear spotted, but an average good yield is expected. Flax is the best looking crop in this locality.

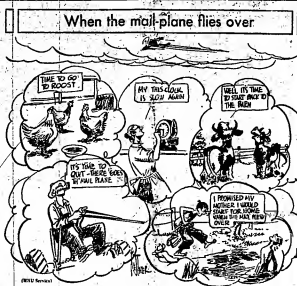
KNUTSON FILES FOR JUDGE

Oscar Knutson, widely known attorney at Warren, filed this week as a candidate for Judge of the district court in this district. Mr. Knutson began his practice of law as an associate in the office of the Hon. Julius J. Olson, now a member of the Judges of the Supreme Court of Minnesota. For past ten years he has continued the practice of law at Warren alone. He is well known to many communities as a public defender at commencement, memorial days, and other public gatherings.

ALBERT PAULSON DIES

Albert Paulson, father of Mrs. T. M. Skatrud former resident here, died Sunday evening at the Skatrud home at Argyle after a short illness. Mr. Paulson, who had long been engaged in railroad work at Duluth, retired this year. He and Mrs. Paulson were visiting at the home of their daughter before going on a long-planned trip to the west coast when he suffered his last illness. Both Mr. and Mrs. Paulson visited occasionally in St. Hilaire when the Skatrud family resided here and were well known to many local people. Mr. Paulson is survived by his wife, one daughter at Duluth, and by three daughters at Argyle, Mrs. Skatrud of Argyle, Mrs. McCormick at International Falls, and another daughter in California, besides several grandchildren. Funeral services were held yesterday at the old home at Duluth, and interment was made there.

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Dr. Horn, the Ulen dentist, is scheduled to be here again Monday and Tuesday, Aug. 5 and 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hallstrom and children spent last Sunday with friends at Lake Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rojma and family have returned to Escalier after spending two weeks here looking after their dairy business.

Regular weekly open-air band concert and moving picture show was given at the rink grounds Tuesday night. Another show will be given at the same place Tuesday next week.

Ortis Holmes, who is employed near Duluth, was home this week for a visit with his mother, Mrs. O. A. Holmes, and at the home of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Holmes.

If you have visitors, plan to go on a trip, or anything else of general interest occurs in your household, we will appreciate it greatly if you will make a note of it and hand in, or call this office.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Healy of Red Lake Falls, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. O. Gunstad motored Sunday to Warren, Argyle and to the Middle River state park, returning home by way of Middle River and Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Breneman, who are now located at Harvey, N. D., were here during the week-end to visit with Mrs. Mary Shure and to arrange for shipment of some household goods to Harvey.

Crews are at work staking out lines, obtaining easements from property owners and doing other preliminary work for the Red Lake Electric Co.-op. inc., in preparation for beginning of construction work on the rural electrification line running east and south of here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Jacobson have taken up housekeeping in rooms in the Dahl residence on South Water street.

Adolph Elden returned Monday from Vermilion, S. D., where he was called by the death of his brother-in-law.

Roy Eugh has moved his place of business to the vicinity of Goodridge where there is more sweet clover range for the bees than in this locality.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Titchison and son plan to leave soon to see the World's Fair at New York, and to visit other points of interest in Eastern states.

Central office property of the Garden Valley Telephone company presents a very neat appearance since the office has been stuccoed and the warehouse painted.

Cornel Abol and Hilmer Nelson expect to leave soon to take on in harvesting and threshing over in North Dakota. Both men have thus been employed several years and have jobs to await them.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jackson and daughter, accompanied by his father, H. O. Jackson, motored Sunday morning to Gratton, N. Dak., and spent the day with relatives, returning home that evening.

The Tobin Seed Company this week made final cleanup on their local cutting ground and shipped out remainder of their June grass seed. The company will operate here again next year on a much larger scale.

Brick siding on the new school addition is finished, the tunnel connecting the two buildings is completed, and only a small amount of plumbing work is needed before all concrete work can be finished. Work on the interior of the building will get under way in the near future.

REPAIRING T. H. NO. 32

Maintenance crews of the state highway department have been here the past week re-calling the road from here to Thief River Falls, and repairing and recalling between here and Red Lake Falls. By end of this week the entire stretch will be in good condition.

4-H CLUB DAY, AUG. 2

Friday, August 2nd has been set aside as 4-H Club day at the Pennington County Fair. All club members are invited to attend that day. Throughout the day demonstrations in cake baking, bread baking, room furnishing, poultry, and agricultural demonstrations in dairy, poultry and home economics projects will be given at the club building. Individual demonstrations will be given in health, safety and handicraft activities.

The clothing and girls will present a dress parade in front of the grandstand at 7:30 Friday evening. Preliminary judging for purpose of selecting "Miss Pennington County" in the dress parade will take place in the club building at 8:30 that afternoon.

The 4-H club building will house exhibits made by club members of Pennington County and will be open to the public throughout the fair.

WIN SUNDAY AT OKLEE

In their final league game for this season, the St. Hilaire ball team defeated Oklee 4 to 0, at Oklee last Sunday. The local team scored their runs during the first part of the game after which both teams hit several home runs and permitted no more scores. A large crowd witnessed the game which was very interesting from start to finish.

A G. N. track crew has been here for about two weeks repairing the track and laying heavy steel both north and south of town. Expected heavier traffic in the coming fall and winter is reason for the much-needed improvement.

Mrs. Chas. Huff and daughters, Florence and Hazel, together with their son and brother, Bob Huff of Crookston, left last week for Washington. If conditions suit, they may decide to make their future homes in that state.

Miss Myrtle Palmquist came Thursday to spend the remainder of her vacation with her mother and with her brother and his family. She just returned from a trip to the New York World's Fair and from visiting with friends at other points.

Many people in this locality are preparing vegetables and berries for storage in the creamery locker plant for use next winter. This being the first time this type of preserving has been used here, the experiment will be watched with interest.

PENNINGTON FAIR OPENS WEDNESDAY

Pennington County's 39th annual fair opens at Thief River Falls next Wednesday, July 31, and continues through Saturday. The opening night's program will be the popular WOCO radio entertainers with Rolfe Johnson acting as master of ceremonies. Froegren's Hippodrome will provide the entertainment each afternoon with a program of horse and auto races, and for the three last nights will feature the Ernie Young Revue with the usual variety of first run vaudeville and circus acts to be presented. Admission to the fair this year will be 25c as usual and children will be admitted free.

BUCKLER FILES AGAIN

In response to urgent and insistent requests by friends in all parts of the Ninth district, Mr. Buckler, Crookston farmer and sole Farmer-Labor member of the U. S. House of Representatives, filed this week as a candidate for re-election. Mr. Buckler is now serving his third term, being a farmer himself, Mr. Buckler has voted for and supported every measure designed to place agriculture on a more firm economic footing, and has therefore won the respect and esteem of the people in this agricultural district. If the Congress takes a recess or adjourns before election day, Nov. 5th, Mr. Buckler will return home to campaign, otherwise his many friends will "pinch hit" for him.

Friends here of Mr. A. C. Kvennes of Minneapolis have received word that his daughter, Olive Ann, was married July 9 to O. T. Holoki at Takoma, Wash. District of Columbia. Mrs. Kvennes, nee Clara Hoff, was a resident of this village for many years, and will be recalled by the older residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson and party returned Tuesday after a visit with relatives and friends at Spencer and Fort City, Iowa. They also made a side trip to West Bend to see the famous Grotto located there. Enroute home they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Haugen at Hays, and with Hattie Johnson at Glenwood.

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We are now connected with the group of Our Family stores which buy collectively thus giving us a buying power equal to any, plus a guarantee of good quality.

Here are a few money saving specials good until July 30.

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- GOLDEN VALLEY OLIVES, quart jars 33c
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- MOLASSES, half gallon cans 17c
- CALUMET BAKING POWDER 1 lb. cans 17c
- OUR FAMILY CORN FLAKES 3 pkgs. 25c
- JELLO 4 pkgs. 19c
- DES ARTS COFFEE 1 lb. glass jars 25c
- SWANS DOWN CAKE FLOUR 25c
- BLACK PEPPER 1/2 lb. can 11c
- RINSO, large pkg. 19c
- DIAMOND WAX PAPER, 200-ft. roll 27c
- MATCHES 6 box carton 14c
- OUR FAR WHEAT CEREAL 3 lbs. 15c
- IDEAL YEAST 3 for 10c
- LAND O' LAKES SALAD DRESSING, pint jar 15c
- RAISINS 2 lbs. for 13c
- SHREDDED WHEAT BISCUITS 2 pkgs. 18c
- CATSUP, 14-oz. bottles 3 for 25c
- PEAS, CORN or TOMATOES 3 cans 23c
- PRUNES, 70-80 size 10 lb. box 54c

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PENNINGTON FAIR OPENED YESTERDAY

All roads lead to Thief River Falls this week following opening yesterday morning of the 39th annual Pennington county fair, one of the largest county fairs in Minnesota. Those who already have visited the big exposition state the exhibits of livestock, poultry, grains, grass and root crops, flowers and garden crops are the best in many years due to the favorable season. The Art Club exhibits are exceptionally good this year.

Reaching the fair-attended public appreciates entertainment as well as exhibits, the fair management has booked a great variety of high class specialty acts to provide amusement and entertainment during all hours on each of the four days ending next Saturday night.

Friday will be Farmers and 4-H Club day. As a special feature for that day, a John Deere tractor will be given to some person in attendance. As a climax, and to stimulate attendance for the grand finale Saturday night, a new 1940 Buick automobile will be awarded that night to the holder of the lucky ticket. If attendance up to 10 p.m. is any criterion, it is expected the 1940 fair will break all previous attendance records.

CREAMERY MAKES GAIN

For the first six months in 1940 the St. Hilaire creamery produced nearly 38,000 more pounds of butter than during a similar period in 1939. Had there not been an extremely dry season and poor pasturage during the months of May and June this year which is normally the heaviest butterfat producing months, the gain would have been proportionately greater.

LOCKER SYSTEM EXPANDS

Patronage of the cold storage locker system at the creamery, which was installed with some mixings last winter, has exceeded all expectations. At the present time all lockers are leased, and it has been found necessary to order additional lockers to supply the demand for them. If business of the locker plant continues to increase as it has since February, it may be necessary to provide for additional room in another year.

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RED LAKE FALLS STORE SOLD

The Coast-to-Coast store at Red Lake Falls, operated by the Larson Company of Thief River Falls with Justus Larson as manager, was sold last week to V. E. Ryan of Cresco, Iowa, who has taken possession. Mr. and Mrs. Larson have returned to Thief River Falls.

MORE CANDIDATES

As time for closing of filings draws near, it appears there will be no dearth of candidates for Congress in the Ninth Minnesota district. Earl M. Saul, garage owner at Crookston and Pelican Rapids, a staunch supporter of the Stassen state administration, and widely known in northwestern Minnesota, filed yesterday as a Republican candidate.

From Fergus Falls comes announcement of the filing of James Erickson, former mayor of that city, as Republican candidate for the same office, that of Congressman from the Ninth Congressional district. Mr. Erickson is a practicing attorney at Fergus Falls. Though not well known in this particular section, both have very good qualifications for the office they seek, and have the wholehearted support of their home communities in their quest.

Grasshoppers are reported to be doing some damage to late crops in this part of the county. They seem to attack barley in preference to most other crops.

Another heavy rain last night will retard harvesting a few days. However, it will help a lot to revive pastures and to supply moisture needed for fall plowing.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL AUG. 7

The Leifur League of the Norwegian Lutheran church will give an ice cream social at the Joe King home north of the village Wednesday, August 7. The Leifur League of Oakridge will furnish the program. Mrs. Mike Highland and daughter, Mrs. Hildebrand, have returned following a two week's visit at the home of Mrs. Hildebrand's sister and brother in Chicago.

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Paul Roy, county commissioner from this district for the last ten years, filed recently as a candidate for re-election.

John Gullingsgard, former county treasurer of Pennington county, has filed as a candidate for clerk of District Court in this county.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Rolland and daughter moved Tuesday from rooms at the Martin Hallstrom home to the Dahl residence on south Water street.

Adrian Olsson, employed for some time at the Peters store at Thief River Falls, was recently transferred to Bemidji where he will be manager of a store owned by the same company.

Harvesting is well under way throughout all parts of this community. Indications are that all crop yields, except on the sandy and ridge lands, will be average or better.

Madame M. Jackson, J. A. Hansen, V. Brink, L. E. Olson and R. Larson motored Wednesday to Warren for a visit with Miss Bernice Anderson at her home in that city.

The weekly free outdoor moving picture show was given at the rink site Tuesday night. Weekly band concerts given to the show were discontinued with the concert of last week, to be resumed next season.

M. C. Anbel and Hilmer Nelson left Monday for Calvin, N. D., to be employed during harvest and threshing season. They were accompanied by Albert Ness who left from Calvin to return to his home in Canada after spending some weeks here at the home of his sister, Mrs. Ed. Peterson and other relatives.

Mrs. May Moses and cousin, Mr. Whitney, who had spent two weeks at the home of Mrs. Moses' brother, N. E. Boebe, left Saturday to visit relatives in the central and southern part of the state. They were accompanied as far as Itasca State Park by Mr. and Mrs. Boebe and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bothman.

Rev. M. Fjeldstad of Thief River spoke at the Sunday school picnic held last Sunday at the local Norwegian Lutheran church. A large number of people from the village and surrounding country attended the gathering.

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TO MAKE CANADA HISTORICAL CONFESSION MADE IN OKLEE MURDER

At a meeting held Friday evening, the Northern Horticultural Society made preliminary plans for a trip to the Experimental Fruit Breeding Farm at Morden, Manitoba, on September 4.

This trip is for the purpose of studying the accomplishments made in fruit and vegetable breeding at the station. All persons that may be interested are invited to go. Interested persons should notify Fred Luhe, Alfred Hermanson, or Howard E. Grow, county agent.

There will be no trouble for American citizens to return from Canada. Immigration officials state that the same regulations apply as previous to July 1, 1940, for citizens.

MOTOR TO ELDRIDGE

The following group of local people motored Tuesday to Eldridge for a visit at the Frank Sweet home and to help Mrs. Sweet celebrate her birthday anniversary. Monday night, Lindquist, V. Brink, H. Winter, K. Graham, H. L. Holmes, O. Gustafson, E. Boebe, Olson, A. Brink, J. Hansen, E. Jensen and John Winter, Ruth Brink and Marjorie Graham. All returned that evening.

Clifford Schantzen has improved the appearance of his garage building by application of a coat of white paint with blue trim, the colors of the Pure Oil Company whose products he handles.

Mr. and Mrs. George Briskley of Athol, Mass., former residents of this village, are the happy parents of an eighth son born July 19. Mr. Briskley is connected with the U. S. Forestry service in eastern states.

Bob Huff and sister, Hazel, and Mrs. Ray Young returned recently after a trip to Washington where they visited relatives. Mrs. Chas. Huff and daughter, Florence, who went out with them, remained to make their home in the west.

LAKE DRIVE PROGRESSES

Progress is being made in a drive for funds for restoration and improvement of Maple Lake for which the state legislative emergency council appropriated \$7,000 a short time ago.

The entire project calls for expenditure of \$80,000 to be furnished by WEA; about \$7,000 to be provided by Polk county in the form of equipment rental, and \$6,000 by the Maple Lake Improvement association. Residents of Grand Forks, Crookston, Fertile, Menota, Plummer, Warren, Climax, Red Lake Falls and other towns who are owners of property at the lake, have organized committees to raise the sponsor's share to get the project under way.

The Ringing Bells, Barnum & Belly drive, the biggest show on earth, is billed to give two performances at Grand Forks on Monday, August 12, one afternoon and one evening. This will be the first time in many years since the circus has come to this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Fricker and son, Arnold, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kincaid of Brainerd, and Mr. and Mrs. George Fricker and family of Holt were here Sunday for a visit with their brother, uncle and father. Mike Fricker who celebrated his birthday anniversary that day.

Persons Obedient
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AWARD CONTRACT FOR NEW BRIDGE AT RED LAKE FALLS

The Minnesota Highway Department this week opened bids in 14 projects located in 12 counties for new work to be undertaken at a total cost of \$680,400. Among the projects listed are two in Red Lake county: one for grading of 10½ miles on T. H. No. 65 north from Brooks to the Pennington county line. This contract went to Roy Benson of Stephen on his bid of \$65,588.00. The new bridge to be built over the Clearwater River at Red Lake Falls, and for grading of 1.6 miles in that city were in one contract to the Minneapolis Bridge company on its bid of \$85,456.00.

REA Members Urged to Provide Wiring for Additional Equipment

About thirty members of the Rural Electrification Association from Pennington County attended the meeting in the Crookston C. Ives, Agricultural Extension Engineer from University Park, that in order to make complete use of electricity a thorough job of wiring must be carried out.

Mrs. Ives told the group that all wiring for appliances and equipment to be used in five or ten years should be planned now. This particularly applies to size of wire, switch boxes, and outlets. He recommended that each member draw a plan of all outside wiring, a floor plan of each floor of the house, including the basement, and locate all the outlets, switches, and so on, so that he would know exactly what he wanted when he talked to the contractor about wiring.

Light fixtures for an entire house like are recommended by R.E.A. can be purchased in unit lots at any electrical store. These units are prepared by all companies.

Sixty Day Duck Season Is Announced by Federal Authorities, Opens Oct. 1

Announcement has been made by federal authorities that the hunting season this fall will open on October 1 and will continue thirty days. This order covers the shooting of ducks, geese, and other waterfowl in the northern zone and also permits shooting to start at sunrise instead of the 7:00 o'clock for all other birds except waterfowl which may be shot until sundown.

Bag limits of ducks remain at ten a day but the limit on geese is reduced from four to three a day. As in previous years, the number of waterfowl that may be possessed at any time is limited to two days' bag but a new rule makes it possible to possess legal limit for twenty days after the close of the season instead of ten days.

TONY'S CHALLENGE ACCEPTED

Recent—Recently farmer Tony River issued a challenge to neighboring farmers to beat his 6-foot variety corn. First to accept the challenge was Fred Kirs of Benson township with a stalk of corn from his field that measured 6 feet and 3 inches in height. Next came Leo Smith of this city and reported some of this corn having actually reached the 11-foot mark. Well, can anyone beat this?

Garden-Kundert
Dwight Kunder, son of Mrs. Pearl Kunder, of Red Lake Falls, and Miss Violet Garden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Garden of Gary, were married Tuesday, August 6 at St. Peter's Lutheran church at Gary. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. O. R. Moller in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends of the contracting parties.

Following a short honeymoon trip, Mr. and Mrs. Kunder have returned to make their home at Gary where Mr. Kunder is owner and manager of the Gary Telephone company. Friends in this community join in extending best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Kunder.

BRAY

Miss Laura Anderson who is employed at the Bernard Barzen home at Thief River Falls spent the week-end visiting at the O. K. Sore and Harry Hawkins homes.

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Mauritz and Elna Scholl, Donald, Inezette and Elna Thyrén and Elna Scholl motored to Bemidji Sunday, Inezette and Elna remained for a week's visit.

Tom Larson of St. Hilaire, Soren Knutson of Numedal and Henry Luttner were Sunday visitors at the Elna Scholl home.

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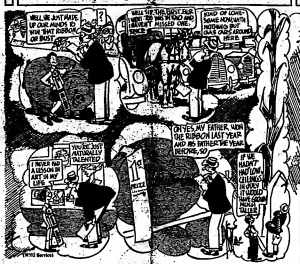
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The Inquiring Reporter at the Fair



Tales About Town

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The local ball team, minus a number of regular players, motored Sunday to Eldred and took the short end of a 5 to 1 game with the Eldred team.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hauge of Hayfield, Minn., were here Monday to spend the summer home of Mrs. Hauge with their relatives in this community while on a vacation trip to various points in northern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Aitchison and son, Delmer, have returned after taking in the world's fair in New York; visited in Washington, D. C.; and other eastern cities, and later spending a couple days with friends at the mid.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Clinton and son, David, are vacationing at the summer home of Mrs. Clinton's mother, Mrs. Anna Peterson, at Maple Lake. Last week-end Mr. and Mrs. Clinton enjoyed a trip along the North Shore of Lake Superior.

Crews are now at work brushing, digging holes and setting poles for the new rural electrification project east of here. The contractor expects to have the line completed and ready for service in about 90 days.

After spending a few days here at the home of his father and with his brother and family, Harry Jackson left Friday to visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Louis Giese near Eudora, before leaving on a trip to the west coast in the interest of the company with which he is employed.

Miss Laura Simonsen, accompanied by her sister, Pearl, motored here Friday from Minneapolis for a visit with their father, Peter Simonsen. Pearl remained to spend the remainder of her vacation while Miss Laura left Sunday for Minneapolis where she is employed by a large insurance concern.

THRESHING STARTED HERE

Threshing is well under way in this part of the county, some machines having gone into the fields as early as middle of last week. According to reports coming in, yields are fair to good and the grain is of good quality. Indications point to a good seed crop from alfalfa and sweet clover. Fields are somewhat spotted in this area this year, there being many instances of poor and good yields on adjoining lands. Apparently the most uniform fields are on the heavy loam east of the river, which are not affected so much by dry weather as those on the sandy lands.

TO SELL STATE LANDS

The state of Minnesota will offer for sale during late October or early November some 125,000 acres of farm, hay and pasture lands located in the thirty northern principal counties. Sales will be held in 21 northern counties on dates to be announced later.

STATE FAIR STAR



Andrew Collins is the solo dancer with the Varney Ames Dance Ballet, one of the featured attractions at the State Fair. He is a native of Thief River Falls, Minn., and is a member of the State Fair. Eight performances will be given at the fair, through Labor Day, September 1.

Kelly-Swing

Last Sunday, August 11, at Crookston occurred the marriage of Jone Kelly, daughter of Mrs. Elmer Hanson of Thief River Falls to Denn Swing, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Swing of this village. Attending the couple were Miss Wanda Hanson and Mattie Carter. Mr. and Mrs. Swing will make their home in this village where he is employed by the Math Barzen Elevator company. Friends in the community join in wishing them happiness.

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REDEMPTION DATE WILL EXPIRE SOON SENSTAD CAUTIONS

Notices of real estate owners and holders of mortgages on real estate is again called to the fact that the law for the forfeiture of real estate to the state of Minnesota for non-payment of taxes is in full operation. County Auditor A. M. Senstad explains in the following statement prepared by him. Real estate taxes becoming delinquent must be paid within five years after the year it became delinquent or the title will move to the state.

Notice of time of expiration of redemption has been given in real estate in Pennington County on which the first year of delinquency is 1931, 1932 or 1933. The 1931 and 1932 delinquencies have only a 60-day period of redemption, which expires on August 23, 1932. The 1933 delinquency has a 90-day period of redemption and will expire on September 23, 1933. In other words, if you own real estate or are interested in real estate and such real estate is delinquent for 1931 or 1932, you will lose your title on August 23, 1932. If you own real estate or are interested in real estate and such real estate is delinquent for 1933, your real estate will be forfeited Jan. 3, 1934, unless the taxes are paid.

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The entering into of an agreement of this kind will save the property owner or other interested person if done prior to the date of expiration of redemption. Any person who is the owner or is interested in any real estate on which the taxes are delinquent for 1931, 1932 or 1933 should consult the County Auditor's office at the State Auditor's office to determine the tax situation of the real estate involved, and prevent its forfeiture to the state, if possible, whether such real estate lies in Pennington County or in any other county in the state.

PARKED CAR FORCED
Redwood Falls.—Mrs. Max Thier's car came out second best in an argument with a diesel-powered road scraper, when the hydraulic steering control became jammed and the driver momentarily lost control of the scraper. The car was shoved onto the boulevard and suffered a crumpled fender and the loss of a hub cap.

JOE IS SOME CATCHER
Cloquet.—Basketball catcher Joe Heaton can also catch big fish. At least he did recently when he pulled a 26-pound northern pike out of Little Sioux lake, west of Cloquet. The giant measured 47 inches in length.

Refrigerated Lockers

Our new cold storage locker plant is finished and in operation. A few compartments are still available.

Store your own meat, and call for it as needed. Cooling, cutting and packaging of meats for those who desire it.

Call at the grocery for any information desired.

St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery
Association
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Seyvern Brandon

CLERK OF DISTRICT COURT
PENNINGTON COUNTY

At the Primary Election September 10, 1940

A resident of Thief River Falls for the past 44 years. My policy, if elected, will be to run the office in an efficient manner at the least expense to the county.

Your Support and Vote Is Sincerely Solicited.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENTS—Entered by Seyvern Brandon, Thief River Falls.

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Ev. Mission Covenant Church
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110 S. St. Paul Ave.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota
Phone 1049-R

Covenant Church, Black River,
Sundays 11 A. M., Bible
School.
St. Hilaire, Sunday, August
18th, 10 A. M., Unified service.
No evening service.

Augustana Lutheran Church
H. A. Larson, Pastor
Black River, Sunday, 10:00
A. M., Sunday school.

Tuesday, 9:00 A. M. Confir-
mation class.
Wednesday, 2:30 P. M., Jun-
ior Missionary society.

Tarva, St. Hilaire, Sunday,
9:00 A. M. Sunday school,
10:30 Confirmation service, 8:00
P. M. Communion service, Rev.
A. Sand, speaker.

Friday, 2:00 P. M., Junior
Missionary Society at Mrs. B.
Larson's.
Clara Hazel, Friday, 9:00 P.
M. Luther League at Mr. and
Mrs. Martin Ellingson's.

Sunday 9:00 A. M. Service.
10:30 A. M. Sunday School.

Hog Producers Will Meet
at State Fair August 28

Minnesota hog raisers will com-
bine attendance at the state fair
with an endeavor to get at the
root of the surplus pork and lard
problem which has seriously com-
pressed the value of live hogs. E.
F. Purdy, secretary-treasurer of
the Minnesota Swine Breeder's
association, has announced a
meeting for Wednesday, August 28,
at 7 P. M. in the swine hall at
the fair grounds.

The meeting is called by the
association to get suggestions
from a large number of market
hog producers and breeders look-
ing toward some form of relief on
the present problem. All hog
raisers are urged to attend.

E. C. Hall of Rock County, who
has done some effective work in
bettering the situation here, is
farmers and businessmen of his
county will describe a number of
methods which may be suitable for many
other communities in the hog pro-
ducing areas. Discussions will
cover the present storage stocks,
the largest in history, and means
of reducing them. The vegetable
oil problem will come in for at-
tention, as well as the methods of
manufacture and marketing of
lard for increased consumption.

Circle of Birds Studied
Scientists hope to discover secrets
of birds and insect flight with the
aid of a wind tunnel recently com-
pleted at the federal department
of Cambridge university in England.

Circle sold for 35 Cents
Cotton shirts from Japan are be-
ing sold in Sweden for 12 cents
each, but they are paper-thin and
stand only two or three washings.

BLACK RIVER HAZEL

Mrs. Carl Anderson, Elaine
and Jeanette visited on Sunday
at the home of the former's
mother, Mrs. Swan Johnson.
Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Napkin of
last at Minneapolis for the past
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C.
Carlson's mother, Mrs. J. V.
Patton.

The following from Mrs. W.
dinner guests on Sunday at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W.
Sweet of Eldred, Mr. and Mrs.
Adolphson, Art Jacobson, Mr.
and Mrs. Vic Brink and Miss
Ruth Brink.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Nettland
and family of Hazel were
Thursday evening visitors at
the home of Mrs. Albert Seve.
Mrs. Vernon Lindquist and
Mrs. E. S. Mitchell attended
Ladies' Aid at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Alfred Hance in Dor-
othy on Thursday.

Miss Christine Nelson, who
has been a house guest for a
few days at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. J. R. McKelcher, re-
turned to her home in Hickory
town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Crowder
and son of St. Louis, Mo., have
been visiting for a few days at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al.
of Los Angeles, Calif.

Gordon Odgaard of Thief
River Falls visited with his cou-
sin at Hazel over the weekend.
Sunday visitors at the Nels
Nelson home were Mr. and Mrs.
Clarence Weckwerth and daughter,
Miss Hazel, Evelyn and
Pearl Nelson of Thief River
Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Ulrick
Erickson and Roy Lokken of
Granite Falls.

Miss Ethyl Mae Carismen of
Duluth spent a few days with
her friend Gladys Nelson last
week.

Miss Aloyce and Warren
Nelson of Duluth came Friday
to visit with their uncle and
aunt Mr. and Mrs. Ole Od-
gaard for a few days.

The St. Pauli Luther League
met at the church last Sunday
evening at the church parlors.
The following program was re-
sented: Song, audience Read-
ing, Dorothy Sjodqvist; Song,
Gloria; Reading, Betty
Jane Bremstad; Song, Mrs.
Clarence Weckwerth and Eve-
lyn Nelson; Song, Elaine
and LaVerna Bergie; Song and
dance. Lunch was served by
Stenes and Thunell.

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moved to Krasika last Sunday
evening to attend a birthday party
at A. Haugen, an uncle of Mrs.
Oscar Odgaard.

Pete Nelson and Marvin
Stohberg and son Elrod motored
to Strasburg to visit at the
cottage's home until Sunday
evening. They were accompan-
ied on Saturday as far as Thief
River Falls by Mrs. Pete Nel-
son and Gladys who spent the
week-end in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Ted Johnson passed
away at Grand Forks hospital
last Saturday after a lingering
illness. Funeral services were
held at the church Sunday morn-
ing afternoon at 2 o'clock. In-
terment was made at the
church grave yard. We all ex-
tend our greatest sympathy to
the bereaved family and relatives.
A very large crowd at-
tended.

Visitors on Sunday at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Lind-
quist were Mrs. Geo. Bakko,
Mrs. A. S. Wilson, Elmas Hend-
rickson and Mrs. and Mrs. Vern
Lindquist.

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Igarka recently shipped 200,000
of wheat to Spain.

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Ten exciting days of fun and edu-
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gust 30 to September 2.

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Horses of United States and
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ning Cattle, Horses, Sheep and
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on the Great Mile Track, Tues-
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on Tuesday, August 28 to 30.

FIREWORKS—New World's Fair
Displays Climaxing each Night's
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THRILL DASH—Jimmy Lynch, Di-
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gust 28.

4-4 CLUB SHOW—200 Boys and
Girls Competing in Champion-
ship Finals.

MIDWAY—Royal American
Shows with 44 Streamlined
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Grasshopper Bait Mix

Plant Closes Saturday

Although there are still a large
number of farms on which grass-
hoppers need to be controlled, be-
cause of the busy harvest season
no bait is being used, states Her-
bert E. Grow, County Agent. As
a result, the bait mixing plant
will be closed on Saturday, Au-
gust 17. Bait will be available af-
ter this date, but farmers will
have to assist with the mixing.

Three hundred nine different
farmers have secured bait at
least once from the station this
year. That means that some five
hundred farmers have used
some bait. Many of these used
bait from four to six differ-
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there might be either this year or
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SIX PERSONS DIE IN MIDDLE RIVER FIRE

Six persons lost their lives in a fire which destroyed the Alfred Knutson farm home near Middle River early last Sunday morning. The dead are Mrs. Alfred Knutson, 31, her children Beverly, 8; Donald, 6; Lorna, 1; a niece, Shirley Knutson, 6, and Mrs. Hanna Knutson, 60, mother of the farm owner.

Mr. Knutson was awakened by screams, but was driven back by flames as he attempted to make his way from the second story to reach the others who all were on the ground floor. He assisted Knute Holte, 19, who lived at the farm, out a window and then leaped out himself. Irene Erickson, domestic employee at the farm, escaped from a second story window sustaining burns and bruises. Before any of those above named were able to render assistance, the whole building was ablaze and hope of rescuing anyone was futile. Authorities are investigating to determine, if possible, cause of the blaze which apparently started on the ground floor of the residence.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

As I will be unable to see you all before election, I take means of announcing
To the Voters of
Pennington County
that I have filed for the office of District Clerk of Court.
A resident of Thief River Falls and a taxpayer for the past 25 years. I solicit your support and vote at the Primary Election, September 10th.
I assure you that I will be greatly appreciated. If elected my policy will be to run the office in an efficient manner at the least expense to the county.
SEVERA BRANDON

ALIENS TO REGISTER

Alien residents of this country are required to register and are fingerprinted this month in connection with the national defense program. Registration will be done at postoffices where single registrars and rules governing registrations are on file. There is no publicity connected with this, and all persons who have not been naturalized, from age 14 years and up, will receive courteous assistance from postmasters in filling their papers.

STATE FAIR OPENS SATURDAY, AUG. 24

The Minnesota State Fair, one of the largest and most outstanding exhibitions in the entire country, opens Saturday morning this week to continue until and through Sept. 2nd.

Among the outstanding entertainment features awaiting fair-goers this year will be the opening of the new mile speedway where four days of thrilling auto races will be staged; a wild west roundup; the National Percheron Show where 500 of the finest horses of the United States and Canada will compete; grand displays of fireworks climaxing each night's Grandstand show; formal opening of the new 4-H Club building; a great display of the latest in farm machinery; a colorful Midway, and hundreds of other new and interesting features. Better equipped than ever with display space, accommodations and conveniences, the Fair this year is expected to draw the largest attendance in its history.

FORMER RESIDENTS HERE

Recent visitors to this village and vicinity were Mrs. J. P. McGuire and son of Detroit, Mich., and her sister of Spokane, Wash. Known to other residents here as Alice and Ella Lindahl, they resided in the village with their parents during sawmill days. At that time their home was just south of what is now the Geo. Geo. Bisker home in the Addition. From there they went to visit another sister at Barwick in Ontario. They are cousins of Wm. Lindahl and Mrs. Andrew Hanson of Thief River and Mrs. O. C. Peterson of Hazel.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bottelsohn were down Monday evening from Thief River Falls for a brief call on friends.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief, News Concerning People You Know

A Great Northern steel gang has been working on the line both sides of town this week.

Elmer Johnson and William Engh attended the American Legion convention held last week at Hibbing.

Mrs. Wm. Altholsson and son, Delmer, left Saturday for a visit with relatives and friends at Winnipeg and nearby points.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle are expected home shortly following their vacation spent at their summer cottage at Sauk Centre.

Walfred Wahlback, employed in the state park service at New London, is here this week to spend a short vacation with relatives and friends.

Ole Loberg of Willmar is here this week looking after threshing operations and attending to other matters at his farm northwest of the village.

Albert G. Anderson, owner of a farm in Polk Centre, returned yesterday to his home at Colfax, Wis., after being here in connection with affairs at his farm.

Mike Fricker is "almost as good as new again" after suffering a cracked rib and severe contusions when he lost his balance and fell down a stairway at his home last week.

Remaining assets of the old First State Bank of Red Lake Falls closed in the fall of 1932, were sold recently. Final payment to depositors will be made in a short time by the state banking department.

The beehive factory has operated the past two weeks turning out a supply of supers and hive bodies for local apiarists. The honey flow has been good lately, so the crop may be considerably heavier than was anticipated earlier in the season.

Twenty-one Pennington County 4-H members will leave next week to join 4-H groups from other counties in the annual Minnesota State Fair competition. While at the Fair, they will make their headquarters at the new center; the most imposing building at the fair grounds.

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LOCAL SCHOOL OPENS TUESDAY, SEPT. 3RD

Vacancies in the teaching staff were filled, contracts for bus drivers executed and other preliminaries were completed at meeting of the school board Tuesday night in preparation for opening of school Tuesday morning, September 3rd.

New members of the teaching staff will be Miss May Belle Price of Grand Forks to teach high school Commercial and English; Miss Doris Cheney of Warren, Minn., 8th and 9th grades, and Miss Norma Mannel of Clearbrook who will teach 3rd and 4th grades.

Ed. Engh and Elmer Johnson were re-elected to operate the district owned buses on the east and west routes, respectively. A contract was entered into with Ray Wavert to operate a privately owned bus from the southeast to Auto Junction, receiving a similar contract for the territory south.

Under direction of janitor Mike Fricker, the building has been thoroughly renovated during the vacation period and is now in the best of condition for opening. The new physical education and auditorium building, now in course of construction, is rapidly nearing completion, and will be ready for use about October 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Clinton and son, David; Mrs. Anna Patterson and Mrs. C. F. Brannest moved here Friday from Maple Lake and spent the afternoon at the O. Gustafson home. The Clintons and Mrs. Patterson left Sunday for their home at Minneapolis.

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FRI. AUG. 30

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Acrobatics That Will Send
Cold Chills Down Your Spine.

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**MINNESOTA
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NATIONAL PERCHERON SHOW

25

AUG. 24

SEPT. 2

ADULTS GIVEN ADMISSION EVERY DAY

HAZEL

Mrs. O. N. Olson, daughter
Clara Olson, Mrs. Mark Olson
and son Wayne of Seattle and
Miss LaVina Martin of Minne-
apolis, a cousin of the Olson
family, arrived in St. Hilaire
Monday afternoon for the
wedding of Hazel Olson and
Mr. Albert Olson.

Art Anderson of Grygset
spent Sunday afternoon visit-
ing at his parental home. He
also visited with his mother
who is a patient at a hospital
in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. and Mrs. Martin Elling-
son and family accompanied by
Mrs. John Peterson visited
Wednesday with friends and
relatives in Gary the latter visit-
ing with her mother, Mrs.
Nora who has been ill. Mr. El-
lingson's sister, Mrs. Sema At-
kinson of Los Angeles, Calif.,
returned with the party.

Mrs. Atkinson left the next day
for Mercy hospital, Thief River
Falls where she joined the staff
of nurses.

Mrs. Ida Johnson of Grand
Fork is visiting with her son
and family the Ted Johnsons.
Mrs. Myrtle Palmquist left
last week to begin work as in-
structor in a Minneapolis busi-
ness college. Miss Palmquist,
who has been teaching com-
mercial subjects in the Bertha
high school the past two years,
has accepted a year-around po-
sition at the Minneapolis col-
lege.

Mrs. Henry Weyrauch and
son, Elmer, returned from their
Tummy of Chicago left recently
via Soo Line Saturday for their
respective homes. Mrs. Wey-
rauch and her son have been
in the past three weeks with
relatives in this vicinity.

Bernard Rude and Axel Ras-
mussen left Wednesday morn-
ing for Wheaton, Minn., where
they will be employed for two
months.

Sunday visitors at the Gil-
bert Bremseth home were Fern
Bremseth and James Olson of
Melrose, Minn. and daughter
Erkine and Kaye Bremseth of
River Valley.

Mrs. and Mrs. Clarence Wed-
worth and daughter Loretta,
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Vigen and
family were Sunday visitors at
the Nels Nelson home.

Miss Gladys Nelson left Wed-
nesday morning for Renon
where she will visit at the
Locke home a few days.

She was accompanied at fair by
Bettini by her mother Mrs. Pete
Nelson who will spend the day
visiting there.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Johnson
and son Martin of St. Paul visit-
ed with Mrs. Johnson's brother
and sister-in-law Mr. and
Mrs. Ole Olesgaard and family
a few days last week.

Mrs. O. L. Mann's daughters

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR, ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

Annie and Gladys of River Val-
ley were Saturday afternoon
callers at the Gilbert Bremseth
home.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wedel
of Story City, Iowa, Sidney Wil-
son of Thief River Falls, Max
Wedel of Mayfield were Sunday
luncheon guests at the Arnt
Wedel home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Johnson
and son Martin, Mr. and Mrs.
Ole Olesgaard visited Friday at
the Knute Kolstad home at St.
Hilaire.

Thrashing activities here are
in full swing. Grain harvesting
up to the present has been run-
ning unusually good.

The girls quartette of the
Clara church furnished music
for the weekly Wednesday eve-
ning devotions conducted at the
Thief River Falls sanctuary by
Rev. Herman Larson of St. Hilaire.

The quartet consists of
Misses E. Larson, V. Olson,
Dorothy Burstad and Octavia
Larson.

Oliver Norquist who has been
visiting the past few
weeks with her mother, Mrs.
Hazel Erickson left Wednesday
for her home in Iowa. The
Norquists, former residents of
this vicinity, have recently moved
from their home in Minne-
apolis to Des Moines, Iowa.

Harry Peterson of Thief Riv-
er Falls has been visiting with
his parents and brothers the
John Peterson family. He left
Thursday to resume his work
at the Thief River Falls Seed
House.

Messadmes Grief of Austin,
Tex. and daughter of the
International Falls and Charles
Felman of Red Lake Falls visit-
ed Saturday at the Elmer
Erickson home. Mrs. Fellman
is an aunt of Mr. Erickson.

Messadmes Johnson and girls
are his cousins.
Naomi, Roderick and Ronald
Nelson and daughter of Trant
visited Sunday at the Jens Al-
lison home in St. Hilaire.

Mrs. Clarence Anderson and
daughter Ramona of Plummet
visited Sunday at the Elmer
Erickson home. John Erickson
returned with them and was
their house guest until Tues-
day.

Mrs. Finstad Falls, Breaks His
Mrs. Liv Finstad had the mis-
fortune Saturday to fall and
break her hip while descending
the steps on the porch of the
home. Her husband and girls
feared she was overcome by a
"dizzy spell" and lost her bal-
ance. The accident was a great
setback for the family. Her
relatives grieve her misfortune
and hope for her a speedy re-
covery.

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sons were Sunday evening vis-
itors at the home of Mrs. J.
Thief River Falls.

The Clara Luther League
will meet at the Carl Larson
home Friday evening, Aug. 30.
Mrs. Martha Lohken, Gladys

AT THE Churches

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Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.

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BRAY

The following gathered for a
family reunion at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. J. Schneider at
Wyle Sunday afternoon: Mrs.
Fred Diekmann, nee Marie
Schneider and children of Fair-
mont; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Swan-
son and family, Mr. and Mrs.
LeRoy Scholten and Mrs. O. O. Swan-
son, Charley Schneider, Henry
Schneider and Richard.

Mrs. John Scholten, Mrs. Bert
Thyren, Evelyn and Kenneth
mother to Bemidji Saturday
when they spent the week-end.
Mauritz, Gilbert, Melvin and
Alvin Scholten and Clifford Thy-
ren joined the group on Sunday.
Misses Elma and Inez Scholten
and Ivanette Thyren returned
home with them after spending
a week there.

Mrs. LeRoy Scholten and son
Orin, Henry Schneider and
Mrs. Fred Diekmann and Mrs.
of Fairmont were Friday after-
noon visitors at the J. O. Swan-
son home.

Mrs. Fred Conkin spent the
past week convalescing at the
home of her brother Henry
Husted at Hazel after being a
patient at the hospital at Thief
River Falls for the past month.

She returned home Monday
and Mrs. Richard Larson of
St. Hilaire visited at the Carl
Mosbeck home Monday evening.
Lorenz Husted of Blackduck
who has been spending his
vacation at the home of his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C.
Husted left Sunday for Benson
where he will visit with his sis-
ter before returning to Black-
duck.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nelson
and daughter, Mr. and Mrs.
Harry Erickson and family
visited Sunday afternoon at the
Albert Carlson home at Hazel.
August Scholten and son Arlo
motored to Bertha Wednesday
where they spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Edson Erickson
and family and Vance Erickson
motored to Argyle Sunday
where they visited relatives.
Kermit Erickson accompanied
them back where he will spend
two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hanson
of Thief River Falls visited at
the St. N. Olsons Saturday af-
ternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ame Lindquist
and Janice of Goodridge spent
Thursday afternoon at the G.
Lindquist home.

Oscar Akerlund of Chicago
arrived Monday to spend a few
weeks visiting with his brother
and sister, Ernest and Hilder
Akerlund.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Emanuel
and Stanley Rolland of Thief
River Falls were Sunday guests
at the G. A. Lindquist home.

Malcolm Magnuson, of Thief

RETURN TO WISCONSIN

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin J. Hied
and children, Louise, Agnes,
Marion and Gordon left Thurs-
day morning for a short visit
with relatives at Winthrop
while enroute to their home at
Crandon, Wis., after visiting a
week here at the Giststad home
and with relatives, former
neighbors and friends in this
community. Mr. Hied was man-
ager of the local creamery for
many years before he and fam-
ily went about ten years ago to
Crandon where he is owner and
manager of a creamery plant.

The Hieds spent a most enjoy-
able week visiting friends and
old scenes. They found a great
many changes in the village,
most of them improvements.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Stapf and son, George, of St. Paul, left Thursday afternoon to spend a day or two at Gull Lake near Brainerd after spending a one week vacation here at the Giststad home. Mrs. Rose Edstrom of Randolph, who came up with them on Friday evening to her home.

Miss Trish Adams

It's the case! Says George Baker,
St. Louis county, Missouri, deputy
sheriff. He says they became a sud-
den by setting off an electric
explosive in their grocers ware-
house, making the neighbors
think they were "nuts" and
seven times a week.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT

W. H. Quist, R. D. No. 4, Thief River
Falls, Minn., is his own ticket.

WALTER H. QUIST

Announces His Candidacy
for
Clerk of District Court

I take this means of announcing
to the voters of Hennepin County
that I have filed for the nomi-
nation at the Primary Election to
be held on Sept. 10th for the
office of Clerk of the District
Court. I have been voted and
paid taxes in this area as now
Hennepin County since 1900. I have
at various times served as Town
Clerk, City Clerk, Justice of the
Peace, Letter Carrier and later as
Game Warden. I think my ser-
vices have given me personal satis-
faction and I assure you that if
I should I shall strive to give
prompt, courteous and effective
service at all times.

I solicit your support and vote
and assure you that they will be
appreciated.

Sincerely yours,
WALTER H. QUIST

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STUDENT AID AVAILABLE

Application blanks are now available at the high school for those who will need financial aid to attend high school. Applications should be made before school opens Sept. 3rd. Only those who have a definite need should apply, states Supl. Graham.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT—Ordered and printed by the local committee for the Republican primary election, St. Hilaire, Minn., at the rate of \$1.00 per line.

Earl M. Saul, Republican Candidate

For Congress

Administration Elect A Businessman.

I BELIEVE IN National Preparedness.

I BELIEVE IN An adequate Social Security program.

I BELIEVE IN A balanced budget—national, state and private.

I BELIEVE IN A revision of reciprocal trade agreements which will reserve the American market for American farmers.

I BELIEVE IN The perpetuation of the greatest Democracy the world has ever known, through which the United States has a dominant position among the nations of the world.

I BELIEVE IN The preservation of individual liberties.

I BELIEVE IN And will unswervingly support the Republican platform as adopted at the Philadelphia convention.

I BELIEVE IN And will support the splendid and progressive administration of Governor Harold E. Stassen.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT—Ordered and printed by local committee for regular advertising rates by Henry Nasset, St. Hilaire, Minn., in his own behalf.

WALTER H. QUIST

Announces His Candidacy for Clerk of District Court

I take this means of announcing to the voters of Pennington County that I have filed for the nomination at the Primary Election to be held on Sept. 16th for the office of Clerk of the District Court. I have lived, voted and paid taxes in Pennington County since 1906. I have at various times served as Town Clerk, City Clerk, Justice of the Peace, and as a member of the Game Warden. I think my services have given general satisfaction and I assure you all that I elected I shall strive to give prompt, courteous and effective service at all times.

I solicit your support, and vote and assure you it will be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

WALTER H. QUIST.

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HENRY NASSET

Independent Candidate for Representative

In the Legislature

65th District comprising Clearwater, Pennington and Red Lake Counties

A Progressive Candidate with a Progressive Program in the interests of the People of the District I Seek to Serve.

I Will Greatly Appreciate Your Vote and Support

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR, ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

AT THE Churches

Angustana Lutheran Church

H. A. Larson, Pastor

Black River: Sunday, 8:00 p. m. confirmation service.

8:00 a. m. Sunday school.

Thursday, Sept. 5, 8:30 p. m. Ladies aid at Mrs. Gustafson's home.

Henry Moller and Miss Anna Napp will entertain.

Friday, Sept. 6, 8:00 p. m. Ladies League.

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HAZEL

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Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Odegard and children visited Sunday at the home of Mrs. Arne's mother, Mrs. Mary Hansen, and Mrs. Maud Hansen. The former returned home the same evening. Harvey remained home with his parents, while his wife and daughter remained at the home of the latter for the past night.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin E. Pillsbury, children Betty and Mary, Odegard visited Sunday at Grigley when they spent the week-end with relatives, returning Sunday evening. Betty Pillsbury who remained until Tuesday for a visit.

Miss and Duane Odegard visited with their cousin Gustaf Odegard at the Hazel Falls Sunday afternoon.

Mr. O. N. Olson, Mrs. Math Olson, Mrs. Wayne and Clara Olson of St. Mary's, Minn. visited Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Arne's mother, Mrs. Mary Hansen, and Mrs. Maud Hansen. The former returned home the same evening. Harvey remained home with his parents, while his wife and daughter remained at the home of the latter for the past night.

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Miss and Duane Odegard, leaves on Thursday for Washburn, N. D. to receive her diploma and to attend the 1st and 2nd grade room of the Washburn Normal.

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BLACK RIVER

Miss Effie Fredrickson, who has been employed at Fishing Bridge Camp at Yellowstone National Park, returned to her home here Monday. John Benum and daughter, Mrs. Albert Gove, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. Albert Gove.

Mr. and Mrs. John Steiger and daughter and Titus Adolphson of St. Paul, Minn., were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. Albert Gove.

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EARL M. SAUL

Republican Candidate

For CONGRESS

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Today almost everyone agrees that the United States needs a business administration, and the logical place to look for men to do this is in the ranks of private business. Veterans of the 9th Congressional district can contribute to establishing this kind of business administration by voting for Earl M. Saul, Republican candidate for Congress from the 9th Congressional district.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Roger Shaw

Nazi Long Range Guns and Bombers Blast Southeast Coast of Great Britain; Mussolini Seeks Greek Naval Bases; Japan Pushes English Out of Shanghai

(EDITOR'S NOTE:—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

Reprinted from Western Newspaper Union

Doleful Duo



These seven-year-old twin refugees from Brussels, Belgium, Johannes and Francine De Last Dolan, sit and survey the future after landing at Jersey City, N. J., from the child refugee ship the S. S. Euter. Their trip from Europe was only the first leg of their journey as they expect to continue on to Iowa in the Dutch East India ship.

WHAT THEN?

If and How

People began to wonder whether Russia might eventually enter the war on the British imperial side. Critics thought it may be likely if the war dragged on long enough—and it might. The Nazis Hitler and Mussolini in the Balkans, and wants to keep his rich Ukrainian province, the No. 2 Russian federal state. But if the Soviets helped England, what incentive? It became a moot question.

For strong American business groups hated the communists of Moscow, while even more zealous groups hated the Soviet agent. Would these people cooperate in the war against Hitler? A red, red ally. That was the point. If it Russia became an English ally, would we start to pamper the reds? What if the Russians also be the allies of Mr. Churchill?

Spain, Too

Then again—it appeared extremely probable that General Franco's Spain might go in on the German side. What then? Franco is the idol of the ruling class in Spanish America because he saved the Spanish church and crushed the Spanish reds. If our state department tried to sway Franco, the ally of Hitler, the South Americans would be infuriated. What then would be the policy? Secretary Hull's "good neighbor" policy? Spain is a big and important favorite of the Vatican. If Franco joined the war, it would have an effect which would have on American individualism. Would they not become more "Americanized"? They would still dislike Hitler, of course, but they could hardly help but admire the great Spanish crusader of 1808—the conqueror of Moscow-Barcelona. The whole subject was debated and many-sided in pondering: From Washington to White Walls and Yonkers.

POLAND: Tyranny

There was more German tyranny to be endured. Poland. The iron military heel was crushing down old Polish customs and ways of life. There came a new dream of an unbroken nation. It rocked the slippers, the torments, the metropol. It was this:

Bomber

The biggest airplane ever built is nearly finished. It will be the property of the army air force. The bomber, called the B-29, is being built in the Mojave, Calif., has been at work for a long time. The whole project is astonishing.

In France

La France nationalized all the shops in the republic. It was done this week. The shops are now standardized and standardized. The shops are now standardized and standardized. The shops are now standardized and standardized.

SPEAKING OF SPORTS

By ROBERT McSHANE

Reprinted from Western Newspaper Union

TED Williams, the long, skinny 22-year-old pitcher with the Boston Red Sox, probably is the unhappiest player in big league baseball.

All too often these days he reads in the sports pages that a so-called swell-bum, a popoff and a spoiled brat has washed.

Ted seems to have gone out of the way to furnish himself to sports writers—and most of that ammunition has washed.

It was no wonder he would agree that he told one writer he would much rather be a fireman than a big league ball player.

Business fans were more or less agitated over the latter interview.

After all, how many 22-year-old kids were earning \$12,000 a year—Williams' salary? The Back Bay Journal carried the story that Williams gave it to the reporter, and wrote it into his writing letters for the public opinion columns.

A Liking for Brooklyn

It had been said it is likely he would be with the Brooklyn Dodgers. His statement to the Brooklyn press was expressed last spring after Judge Charles F. Anderson from Detroit's chopped it. "A place where he would go if he was a free agent," Ted replied, "Brooklyn. They'd like me up there."

A Plan Goes Wrong

Williams, being in the National League, couldn't go to Brooklyn. Ted had the idea of going to the Brooklyn Dodgers. He had the idea of going to the Brooklyn Dodgers. He had the idea of going to the Brooklyn Dodgers.

With that shortened distance in right field the fans expected far more from him. Ted felt that he was depended on to drive a homer every time he was at bat. Things just didn't work out that way.

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Patterns



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HOUSEHOLD QUESTIONS

To unmold cornstarch pudding easily add a tablespoon of butter to the mixture just before it is removed from the stove. Be sure, too, to stir the molten corn water just before you fill them.

Save little bits of soap in small clogs or salt bags. Use the bags in changing the bathtub or laundry. The bag will serve both as a sponge and a cleaning agent.

When separating the yolks from the whites of eggs, break them into a bowl. The whites will pass through, leaving the yolks in the bowl.

Select reliable bulbs and vases in which to arrange flowers to decorate the home. Do not crowd flowers into them, but carefully select different flowers for different containers. A single rose in a bud vase is far more effective than several roses crowded into one.

When putting away clean clothes place the freshly ironed ones on the bottom of the various piles. Then towels, handkerchiefs, napkins, etc., will be used in turn and some will not wear out too quickly than others.

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PRIMARY RETURNS SHOW LIGHT VOTE

Primary election returns from throughout Minnesota show a light vote, possibly about 60 per cent of normal, was cast Tuesday. While the new consolidated state ballot caused some confusion for voters, the number of spoiled ballots was surprisingly small.

Governor Harold E. Stassen will head the Republican state ticket; Hjalmar Petersen will carry the Farmer-Labor banner, and incomplete returns indicate Theodore B. Sten will be the Democratic standard bearer at the November election.

U. S. Senator Henrik Shipstead, elected several times as Farmer-Laborite, won re-nomination on the Republican ticket.

For Congressmen from the Ninth district, Richard L. Day, F.-L., of Crookston will be opposed by Frank Timm, Democrat, of Lacquette, and by either Earl M. Sui of Pelican Rapids or Calvin G. Butler of Crookston. In the 10th district, complete returns must be in before final results are known.

For Representatives from the 6th district, members will be opposed by Carlton Lund of Lake Falls and Gilbert Strattling of Thief River Falls, according to unofficial returns.

For Clerk of District Court in this county Adolf Elkind, present incumbent, was eliminated. John Gullingsrud, former county treasurer, and Herman Sko-haug, both of Thief River Falls, won places on the ballot for that position.

For Judge of Probate Court, Andrew Bottelson, incumbent, will have Herman A. Kjos as his opponent in the November election.

HEALTH INSPECTION PROGRAM

The Red Cross Nursing Activities committee met Monday evening at the library in Thief River Falls. Miss Ruth George, Red Cross Assistant Nurse here for the service, discussed the plans for a three month program. Health inspection by the nurse will be made in all the rural schools to test vision, and hearing, weighing and measuring, also checking nutrition and posture. Parents will be notified as to the day the nurse expects to visit the school, and are cordially invited to be present.

Thanks to the Voters of Pennington County

for the splendid vote given me at the primary election as candidate for the office of Judge of Probate. May I vote your support and vote in the November election.

HERMAN A. KJOS.

HEAVY RAIN FRIDAY

The heaviest rain of this year fell over this part of the state last Friday. At Red Lake Falls the grandstand at the county fair ground was blown down, some basements flooded, and other damage done by high wind. In this vicinity there was less wind, but the storm was accompanied by scattering hail which did some damage to roofs and windows. The hail, as well as rain, is reported to have been heavier in the area to the northeast of Thief River Falls and extending north into Roseau county.

A. C. OPENS OCT. 1

Registration for the fall term at the northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston began on Monday, September 30, and continues through Tuesday, October 1. According to registrar J. W. Milnar, Mr. Milnar states that all classes will meet at 1:30 P. M. on October 1st. Superintendent T. A. Mitchell has called the first meeting of the faculty for Saturday, September 28.

According to school authorities, according to school authorities, being sought by an increasing number of older farmers and girls and high school graduates desiring special farm courses and business training.

GOING TO 4-H CAMP

Joyce Meyer and Robert Jaund have been chosen to represent Pennington county at the annual 4-H conservation camp which opens Friday, September 13, at Itasca park.

The 4-H members will camp for three days at the Itasca forest, where school and business instruction in several phases of conservation, including soils, forest and wildlife.

The local club members have all expenses paid at the camp as a compliment to their own conservation project work this year and the records of their club and their county in this activity.

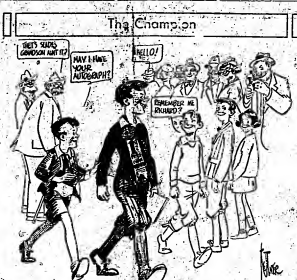
Among the instructors and supervisors of the camp will be the state 4-H staff, headed by A. J. Kjos; Gustav Swenson, university wildlife specialist; W. J. Breakenridge, curator of the university museum of natural history; Parker Anderson and Clemens Kaufman, extension foresters; M. T. Thompson, soil conservation specialist; A. H. Larson, university botanist; George McCullough, U. S. Biological Survey; Warren W. Chas. soil conservation service; W. M. Landis, U. S. A.

Waffle Supper

Come to the waffle supper Saturday evening, September 21 from 5:30 to 8 o'clock at the Norwegian Lutheran church parlors. Prices will be 15 and 25 cents.

WHEAT MARKETS

Wheat	63
Durum	51
Eye	37
Mail barley	33
Feed barley	25
Oats	17
Flax	133



The Champion

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Rev. M. L. Dahle left Monday night over the Soo to spend a couple days at Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans L. Sande have returned after a visit with relatives in and near the Twin Cities.

First killing frost for this fall occurred Monday night. Some of the more tender garden truck was badly nipped by the frost.

Phil Ewing, who is attending a barber school at Minneapolis, is home to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Ewing.

First meeting of the Parents-Teachers Association for this school year will be held Friday evening this week. A good program has been arranged.

The following students are attending the Moorhead State Teachers' College this year: Budd Kirkkonen, Hazel Haglund, Ralph Blakely and Gordon Nohr.

Vincent Delinger of Morris, Minn., was a week-end visitor at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Delinger in Thief River Falls. Vincent holds a good position with an electrical company at Morris.

Rev. E. A. Cooke, who has served the Rosau and Badger Methodist churches for some time, preached his last sermon for the year in the Rosau church Sunday evening. On Tuesday he left for Boston, Massachusetts and will attend the Boston Theological Seminary during the coming school year. He will also visit points of interest in the East before returning to Rosau. Time for Morris.

Mrs. Mary Schmitt, formerly of Libberton, Kan., who has three daughters in Catholic sisterhoods, has been the wife of Sister Servants of the Holy Eucharist of Mary at St. Hilaire.

One of five children, Rev. Schmitt, of the religious order after her husband died.

RALLY AT CROOKSTON

Farmers and others in northwestern Minnesota are invited to hear Hon. Henry A. Wallace, nominee for Democratic Vice-President; Thomas A. Richardson, State Chairman of the National Agricultural Committee; Joseph N. Moanan, Democratic state chairman, and John P. Erickson, Democratic National Committeeman speak Saturday, September 14 at Central Park Crookston. The program starts at 8:45 A. M.

COMMISSIONER NOMEINES

A real battle developed for the post of county commissioner in the First and Fifth districts of Pennington county at the primary election. In the First district, Frank Rose, incumbent, drew Alfred Longren for his opponent, and in the Fifth district O. M. Mandt, incumbent, will fight it out with Pat A. Culkins in the November contest. Paul Roy, commissioner from the Third district, had no opposition at the primary election, his being the only filing for that office which he has held for about ten years.

NORWAY MENACED BY HUNGER DURING WINTER MONTHS

Norway is in urgent need and relies largely on the generosity of American people of Norse descent in the Northwest to ward off hunger and possible starvation this winter.

This was the message of John A. Westergaard, New York, chairman of Norwegian Relief, Inc., this week to the Minnesota relief committee of which Randolph Hauge, Minneapolis, is the chairman.

It is feared that gathering of funds for Norway be continued. Many communities have been struck by fire and the people are without clothing and shelter for the winter.

Norway has always relied on other countries for fruits, meat, fat-stuff, grains and vegetables. With the blockade in force, the need becomes increasingly desperate.

Mr. Westergaard gathered old Scandinavian leaders in Minneapolis.

"Rescue supplies have been depleted by the invaders. Norwegian Relief, Inc. is now negotiating with both the British government and the German government in order to guarantee the safe passage of relief ships and also to guarantee that the supplies will reach needy Norwegians and not be diverted to military purposes.

"We must be prepared to ship thousands of tons of food and clothing as soon as these negotiations are satisfactorily completed," Mr. Westergaard emphasized.

DR. SPOFFORD

Optometrist

Will be at: Red Lake Falls, Sept. 18th, afternoon.

Eyes Examined-Glasses Fitted.

LIGHT VOTE CAST IN PRIMARY HERE

Judging by the vote cast, a great deal of interest was shown in the primary election Tuesday. St. Hilaire cast 59 votes out of a possible 170, and the surrounding townships are reported to cast the same proportion. The fact that the busy fall season is on in the farming districts may account to some extent for the lack of interest shown in election, which condition appears to be general throughout the state.

C. A. MELIN DIED MONDAY

C. A. Melin, age 84, one of the few remaining pioneer settlers of Polk Center township, died Monday afternoon at a Thief River Falls hospital after a brief illness.

Funeral services were held today (Thursday) at the Melin home at 1 o'clock, and at 2 o'clock at the Lutheran church, with Rev. H. A. Larson officiating. Burial was in the family plot in the cemetery adjoining the church.

A more complete obituary will be published next week.

Shallot-Walsheth

Last Saturday afternoon at the local Norwegian Lutheran parsonage occurred the marriage of Miss Gladys Shallot of Mayfield to Harold Walsheth, son of Bern Walsheth of River Falls. Rev. M. L. Dahle performed the ceremony. The young people, both well and favorably known in this community, will make their home on the Walsheth farm east of here. Friends in this section will join in expressing congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Walsheth.

MISS POSTOFFICE LOOT

Miss Postoffice broke into the postoffice at Middle River Tuesday night this week and pried open the office safe with aid of crowbars. Evidently, they were frightened away before finishing their job as contents of the safe were found to be intact.

To the Pennington County Voters:

Thank you for the fine vote in the primaries.

May I respectfully ask your continued vote and support at the General Election in November.

Sincerely,

Andrew Bottelson

Refrigerated Lockers

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Call at the creamery for any information desired.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

Notice to Wheat Growers!

Bring your government loan wheat to us for storage. We have made arrangements for more storage space, so can handle any amount. Correct grade and dockage assured. Your business appreciated.

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Folks who want a really big gasoline value buy FIRE-CHIEF

Wise motorists from coast-to-coast choose Fire-Chief gasoline. They know it at the price you can't buy a better gasoline. 24¢ per gallon. Buy Fire-Chief for economy. And enjoy it for the brilliant, lively power, the quicker starts. Drive fast!

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PEACE TIME DRAFT BILL BECOMES LAW

In a historic setting in the White House, President Roosevelt this week signed into law the first peace time conscription bill in the history of this nation, and immediately thereafter issued a proclamation requiring the registration on October 16 of 16,500,000 men from 21 to 35 years of age.

The President is expected to sign an executive order creating a national organization to administer the conscription and in accordance with plans worked out by the army and navy selective service committee. It is anticipated registration methods will be along lines similar to those used during the World War when local election boards were given that duty.

Not more than 800,000 men may be called at any one time under a year or one year training unless an emergency should occur which requires a larger number. The group number does not include the regular army, National Guard and those taking special leave on furlough.

All men in the United States who are within the above stated age limits will be required to register on October 16. No individual notice will be issued. After registration, classification will be made into five groups from which men will be selected to receive military training. Newspaper bulletins will be issued from time to time giving all necessary details.

PROCLAMATION FORGET-ME-NOT DAY

Proclaiming Saturday, September 28, 1940 as Forget-Me-Not Day of St. Hilaire, Minn., sponsored by the Disabled American Veterans of the World War.

Twenty-three years ago, the youths of our nation answered the call to uphold the rights and freedom of the United States.

It is therefore fitting that the disabled survivors of that conflict should designate this annual drive for public support of their present battle against the call to uphold the rights and freedom of our fellow citizens twenty-two years ago.

The service which the Disabled American Veterans thereby are enabled to render their less fortunate comrades, thru their sale of forget-me-nots, has been and will be of incalculable value to the community.

Signed, O. Gustafson,
Pres. V. W. Council

Card of Thanks
We wish hereby to express our most sincere thanks to all neighbors and friends for their kindness and expressions of condolence to us after the death of our beloved father, Carl A. Melin. Especially do we wish to thank Rev. Larson for his comforting sermon; those who sang at the service; all who contributed flowers and the pallbearers. All will be held in grateful remembrance by us, the Melin family.

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Departures and Arrivals



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News
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Flax threshing is nearly finished in this locality, and much fall plowing has been done.

Caaper Iwerson returned this week after being employed in Dakota during harvest and threshing season.

Mrs. M. Janda of Scotland, S. D., is expected here today for a visit at the home of her son, Mr. Janda and family.

Rev. M. Dahle has had wonderful success in raising carrots this year. He brought in several specimens to this office which weighed 1 1/4 pounds each when pulled.

Mrs. Mary Sherva, who has spent the summer months at her home here, plans to spend the coming winter at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. Seeland at Thief River.

A. F. Hall of Albert Lea, former rancher here, came Monday morning over the Soo to attend to affairs in connection with the E. L. Johnson estate. He returned home Monday night.

Rev. H. A. Larson and Rev. M. L. Dahle motored Monday evening to Grand Forks to hear Dr. C. J. Hambro, president of the Norwegian parliament, speak on present-day conditions in Norway.

Stray—Five head of sheep strayed from my place about a week ago. Anyone knowing their whereabouts, please call on or write to Mike Doda, 3 miles south of St. Hilaire on Red Lake Falls route No. 3.

Woodrow Almqvist left Tuesday with the Plummer baseball team for Shakopee where the team is entered in the state tournament of independent baseball teams. Plummer represents this district by virtue of having top place in the local league, and by defeating Kelliher and the Eldred-Crookston combination who headed their respective leagues.

START LAKE PROJECT

The project for restoring Maple Lake to its former level, was started recently with a dredge outfit belonging to Polk county commenced excavating a larger and deeper ditch leading to a lake near Erskine where it is expected a water supply will be available during spring floods. Several concrete dams will be built in the new ditch to hold and control the water supply.

CONSERVATION MEETINGS HELD

Cooperators in the Agricultural Conservation Program met Thursday to elect community committees for the 1941 program, and elected delegates to attend the county convention held Friday last week. The county convention reflected the county committee composed of Carl R. Anderson, chairman, Hans Solberg, vice chairman, and appointed Hans Melin as treasurer, and Howard J. Grow as temporary secretary.

Community committees and the community they serve in this part of the county are: Rockburg, L. J. Johnson, chairman; Carl Finstad and C. H. Toomey, Ray and Polk County, August Scholin, chairman, Harry Johnson and Emil Larson; Mayfield and Wyandotte, Oscar Houliet, chairman, Ole Myrum and I. E. Wilson; Sanders, S. H. Ness, chairman, Gust Peterson and Victor Johnson; Black River and River Hills, Ed. Morun, chairman, Wm. Balquist and P. W. Johnson.

Shower for Miss Bucklin

Miss Norma Bucklin, whose marriage to William LaPlante of Roseton is to take place Saturday, September 21st, was the guest of honor at a pre-nuptial shower given last Saturday afternoon at the Harry Winter home. About thirty friends of Miss Bucklin attended. The afternoon was spent in conversing with the bride and the delicious lunch was served by the hostesses, Mrs. V. G. Brink, Mrs. G. Lindquist and Mrs. Winter. A purse was presented to the guest of honor as a token of remembrance.

Navy Will Continue

Voluntary Enlistments
Lieutenant Douglas H. Fox, U. S. Navy, officer in charge of a new recruiting station in Minneapolis, headquarters for this area, announced today that enlistment in the navy will continue on a voluntary basis, with the usual benefits and opportunities being offered to men between the ages of 18 and 31. He also pointed out that the navy recruiting service will continue to maintain its high standards for qualification for entry into the Naval Service.

Teaching Chemistry
It is estimated that from 12 to 15 percent of all chemists are engaged in teaching, says a report by the American Chemical Society.

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C. A. MELIN RITES

HELD THURSDAY

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the Black River Swedish Lutheran church for the late Carl A. Melin who died the previous Monday. Rev. H. A. Larson officiated at the service which was largely attended by old friends and neighbors of the deceased.

Mr. Melin was born March 21, 1886 in Sweden and came to this country in 1888. He homesteaded in Polk Center, being among the earliest settlers in that township. A good neighbor and friend, just and fair in all dealings, Mr. Melin enjoyed the respect and esteem of all who knew him, and he will be sadly missed in his home community.

Except for a few years spent at Thief River Falls, Mr. Melin resided on the old home farm in Polk Center where he now occupied by his son, Henry.

His wife and one son preceded him in death. He was survived by members of the family are his sons, C. R. Melin and Henry Melin, both of Erskine, August Melin of Canada; one daughter, Mrs. Solem of Carl, Alberta, Canada; one brother, August Young of Hamline, Texas; two sisters, Mrs. Martha Johnson of Milwaukee, Wis.; Mrs. Hilma Billings of Crawford, N. Y., 17 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Sept. 18-26

Notice of St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery Ass'n.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Ass'n. will be held at Jackson Hall, St. Hilaire, Minn., 2nd day of October at 2 P. M. for the purpose of discussing and voting upon the dissolving of a central buttermilk drying plant in conjunction with other creameries in Districts 14 and 17, through purchase of preferred stock in Land O'Lakes Creameries, Inc., the disposal of the creamery's buttermilk to such central drying plant; and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated at St. Hilaire this 16th day of Sept. 1940.

Ray Randorf, Sec'y.

DANCE

JOLLY LASSBY and His Orchestra

FRONTIER PAVILION

St. Hilaire

Saturday, Sept. 21

New and Old Time

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At THE Churches

St. Hilaire N. L. Churches

M. D. Dahl, Pastor

Sunday, Sept. 22nd, services

St. Hilaire, Sunday school 10 A. M.

Norse Service 2 P. M. Board

meets after services.

Clearwater services, com-

munion and offering to budget

11 A. M. Note the change in

hour.

St. Pauli L. L. services 3 P. M.

Don't forget the Waifu Sup-

per at the N. L. church parlors

Saturday evening from 5 to 8

o'clock. Prices 15c and 25c.

Ev. Mission Covenant Church

Roy N. Wiberg, Pastor

410 S. St. Paul Ave.

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Phone 1049-R

Wednesday, 3 P. M., Reli-

gious instruction. Topic: "Al-

most?"

8 P. M., Evangel. Your at-

tendance and participation will

be greatly appreciated. Topic:

"Seekers." Striving hand

will take part.

Tuesday, Sept. 24th, 3 P. M.

Missionary John Peterson, re-

cently returned from China, will

talk about the Mission work

in China. Mission offer-

ing. Remember our Gospel

Crusade, Oct. 6-13. Hebrews

15:15.

Covenant Chapel.

Tonight, Thursday, 8:30 P. M.

Y. P. meeting. Refreshments.

Sunday, Sept. 22nd, 11 A. M.

Bible School. 3 P. M. services

in St. Hilaire "Where there's

will, there is a way to attend

church regularly."

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Anglican Lutheran Churches

H. A. Larson, Pastor

Black River Falls, 8:00 P. M.

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Saturday 3:30 P. M. Junior Mis-

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ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR, ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

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Sunday guests at the Alfred

Lindquist home were Mr. and

Mrs. Larson, Mr. and Mrs. John

LaSalle of Thief River Falls,

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Larson, and

Janice of Goodridge.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Hestegard of

Remond and Wednesday evening

Mr. and Mrs. John Scholl

family attended the Lutheran

League at the Henry Brattland

home at Hazel Friday evening.

Monday evening at the home of

Mr. and Mrs. P. Scholz home. She

returned from a visit to the

Virginia Scholz accompanied her

back and spent the week-end

visiting at St. Hilaire.

Mrs. Martin Erickson and

Marie, Richard Mosbeck and

Alfred Servig, all of Thief River

were Wednesday evening visit-

ors at the Carl Mosbeck home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Olson of

St. Hilaire, Mrs. H. Hanson, and

Marjorie Hanson attended the

Thief River Falls and George

Hanson were Monday evening

visitors at the S. N. Olson

home.

Sunday visitors at the Res-

idence home were Mr. and

Mrs. George Lindholm and

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Larson, and

Rox and daughter of Thief River

Falls, Vernon Mosbeck and

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Larson, and

Carl Mosbeck.

The Black River Lutheran

League, Sunday evening, Sept. 22nd,

at the Saterlund church near Thief

Falls Sunday evening. The

following from this area at-

tended were: Mr. and Mrs. L. J.

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CONSCRIPTION PLAN GETTING UNDER WAY

Registration machinery for conscription into the U. S. Army by men between ages of twenty-one to thirty-six is now being set up throughout the state following receipt of instructions issued this week by Governor Harold E. Stassen.

Wednesday, October 16 has been selected as National Selective Service Registration Day throughout the United States on which date every male citizen in the United States and every male alien residing in the United States, who on that date is between the ages of twenty-one and thirty-six, shall present himself at his precinct polling place and register.

Governor Stassen calls on all State, County, City, Village and Township officials, members of election boards, election judges and clerks and others to voluntarily perform all duties which may be required or requested on them to accomplish this registration.

He further calls on all patriotic and loyal citizens to offer their services to any of the aforesaid public officials freely, and asks proprietors of polling and registration places to make such places available for registration without charge.

The Government. He also asks that the flag be displayed on all public buildings and on private buildings and homes as an acknowledgment of our people of the importance of the day.

PLANT AT GRAND FORKS

Announcement was made by REA officials in Washington this week that a decision had been reached to build an electric power generating plant at Grand Forks to supply current to the Red Lake Electric Co., as well as eight other electric projects located in eastern North Dakota and northwestern Minnesota. It is probably a temporary source of supply may be obtained so patrons on the local project can have current by January first next.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Skatrud and daughter, Rachel, motored here Saturday evening from Argyle to attend the waffle supper at the Norwegian Lutheran church, and the next day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jensen.

The waffle supper given Saturday evening at the Norwegian Lutheran church was a big success in every way. Serving continued for more than three hours.

MISS COMSTOCK TO SPEAK AT UNIVERSITY

Ada Louise Comstock, president of Radcliffe College and first dean of women at the University of Minnesota, will speak on the Minnesota campus Saturday, October 6, at the dedication of the new women's dormitory, which has been named after her. Member of a prominent Minnesota family and for many years a worker in education in this state, Miss Comstock is one of a small group of women who have been given honorary degrees by the University of Minnesota.

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COUNTY AGENT RESIGNS

County Agent Howard Grow, who succeeded R. M. Douglas as county agent of Pennington county, recently announced his resignation to accept a similar position in Kittson county with headquarters at Hallock.

Henry Sande went Saturday to Minneapolis and returned the first of this week with another used car for a local party.

HUNTING SEASON OPENS WEDNESDAY

Local nimrod, as well as many hunters from points about south, look to the fields Wednesday morning at opening of the prairie chicken, grouse and Hungarian partridge season, to end in eight days. Some parties report having very good luck while others had little. Opening of the season so late in the month when grouse and chickens are already beginning to gather in flocks, does not produce the best hunting. Birds are quite plentiful in this area, and there will be plenty of food. Stock left for next season.

SCHOOL PROCEEDINGS

Board of Education of School Dist. 102 held its regular meeting at the High School building on Sept. 17, 1940, and was called to order by the chairman, W. C. Hanson, at 8 P. M. All members present.

Minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved as read.

Motion made by Jackson and seconded by Beese that the following bills be allowed and passed:

- D. C. Heath Co., H. S. texts, 10 books \$4.95
- Northern School Supply Co., supplies 44.10
- H. W. Wilson Co., magazine sub. 2.25
- Caxton Printers Ltd., library books 8.16
- Acme Chemical Co., 15 lbs. Matio 18.25
- M. L. Graham, Supt. expenses, mileage 40.26
- Minnesota State High School League, 1940-41 Cities Service Station, fire for bus 30.00
- Mrs. Carl Pearson, board- ing plumber 15.00
- Ed. Engst, trucking, misc. Garden Valley Tel. Co., Sept. rent, tolls 4.70
- Service Motor Garage, repairing bus, welding Wm. Olson, supplies for gym 6.55
- M. A. Highland, freight, fueling bin 13.26
- Danielsen Electric Co., elec. supplies 9.23
- Northern Woodworking Co., insulation 27.62
- O. Gunstad, liability bus premium 99.21
- Northern Insurance Co., 2 cyl. gas 2.46
- Standard Oil Co., gas 2.46

Motion carried.

No further business, motion for adjournment carried.

H. L. HOLMES, Clerk.

Mrs. Eleanor Hanson, Chairman.

ST. HILARE SPECTATOR.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Woodrow Alquist left Tuesday to take in polo picking in the vicinity of East Grand Forks.

H. J. Valley of Bend, Oregon, came last week for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bergh. Mrs. Bergh is a daughter of Mr. Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Shur of Grand Forks were guests here from Sunday until Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Aitchison. Mr. Shur was relief agent on this division of the Great Northern for many years.

Dr. Manfred Dahl, accompanied by a friend, motored yesterday from Glenwood for a brief visit with Dr. Dahl's parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahl, and to enjoy a day or two of chicken hunting.

The Great Northern has had a crew here this week making needed repairs on the stockyards. The chute has been put in good order; a new watering trough built, and the well pumped out to provide for a supply of fresh water.

Joseph Royal, who has operated the Martz farm under lease for the past few years, has leased the Blackmore Farms northeast of the village to be to have possession October 1st. The Blackmore Farms contain some over 400 acres of land and has one of the most imposing sets of farm buildings in this part of the county.

Last Saturday at Roseau occurred the marriage of Miss Norma Bucklin, former resident of this village, to Mr. William LaPlante of Roseau. Following the past two years the bride has been employed in clerical work at Roseau. Following a short trip, Mr. and Mrs. LaPlante will establish their home at Roseau where he is engaged in business. Friends in this community join in best wishes for the newlyweds.

After spending a week here at the home of her son, W. J. Dahl and his family, Mrs. M. Dahl left yesterday for her home at Scotland, S. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Black and children, Barbara and Robert, Jr., are spending a ten-day vacation with relatives and friends in and near the Twin Cities.

After spending the summer months here with Mr. and Mrs. John Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Kies left yesterday morning enroute to Arizona where they plan to spend the coming fall and winter.

Mrs. Pearl Kundert of Red Lake Falls, former owner of the local telephone exchange, was here yesterday attending to business affairs and calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Austin of Rosholt, S. D., who are spending the fall months at their summer cottage near Pennington, visited friends here and at Thief River Falls for part of this week. Mr. Austin was manager of the local creamery many years ago. For several years past he has operated his own creamery at Rosholt which he sold a year ago.

DEER FROLIC WITH SOUTH MINNESOTA COWS

Belle Fiske—When little Tommy Dornick took his cousin for a stroll through the pasture Sunday of last week they encountered a most unusual sight. There among the cows were two deer and a fawn. The boys got within one hundred feet of them before the deer sped away. On the following day Tommy returned to the pasture and they again saw them down the creek. Just how they happened to be so far south is a mystery.

Notice to Wheat Growers!

Bring your government loan wheat to us for storage. We have made arrangements for more storage space, so can handle any amount. Correct grade and dockage assured. Your business appreciated.

Math Barzen Co., Inc.
A. Hanson, Manager
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MARTZ FARM SOLD

The Martz farm, overlooking the village limits on the east side of the river, was sold this week by Mrs. Anna Martz of St. Paul to Birken Anderson of Halstad, who is connected with the Anderson Bros. road construction company operating in this county. After necessary repairs and alterations are made on the buildings, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson will establish their home on the farm which is one of the finest in this vicinity.

HIGH SCHOOL GYM NEARS COMPLETION

The new gymnasium and auditorium addition to the school is fast nearing completion and will possibly be ready for dedication and use the latter part of October. Exterior of the building is finished, the interior nearly so with exception of plumbing and installation of electrical fixtures, and sewer connections are now going in.

When completed, the new building will fill a long-felt need for more room for physical education purposes, an adequate basketball floor, as well as a dining room and kitchen, now badly needed since there are so many rural children attending this school.

ANNUAL RAM SALE, OCT. 8

The annual Ram Sale and Exchange will be held at the Pennington County Fair Grounds on Thursday, October 3, announces Howard E. Grow, County Agent.

Mr. Grow states that arrangements have been completed to have a few outside rams brought in for breeders that want new bloodlines. Most of the rams for sale, however, will be supplied by local flocks. The rams for sale will be Shropshire and Hampshire lambs and yearlings.

Regardless of how critical a flock owner may be he will find that some of the offerings will satisfy his needs, and that the prices will be reasonable. Every one needing a new ram should plan to attend.

A special meeting of the town board of Black River and the village council was held last evening to consider a petition for a proposed road to run along west side of Section 1 in Black River which is western boundary line of the village. Because of lack of finances, the petition as presented, was declined, but agreement was made to extend some help to those interested.

Approximately 50 for cash, women and child in the country. spent on advertising in the United States in 1937, according to a survey. The total adverting income was \$7,388,075.

NAME PETIT JURORS FOR FALL COURT

Fall term of district court in Pennington county, with Judge M. A. Bratland presiding, will open Monday, October 1. As usual, the first week will be given over to hearing of court cases. Below is a list of the petit jurors who have been summoned to appear for jury duty beginning Monday, October 14:

Morris Nilson, Mayfield; Mrs. Tom Belland, Goodridge; Jerry Hurby, Goodridge; Mrs. A. B. Kriel, T. R. Falls; A. S. Olson, Nunda; H. R. Lund, T. R. Falls; James Zavoral, T. R. Falls; Mrs. John Gustafson, T. R. Falls; Clifford Storholm, T. R. Falls; Mrs. E. B. Olson, Black River; Mrs. Victor Schell, Bray; Mrs. Elmer Vraa, Brainerd; Casper Wiener, Smiley; Mike Antonoff, Smiley; Mrs. Alvin Holmstedt, T. R. Falls; Charles Dablow, T. R. Falls; Edwin Swanson, North; Roger Anderson, North; Mrs. E. D. Haug, T. R. Falls; Mrs. Andrew Orloff, Sanders; Carl Lindstrom, Goodridge; John Newland, Rockbury; Sven Omild, Star; Eddie Johnson, North; Joe Christensen, Goodridge; James Johnson, T. R. Falls; William Elstrom, North; Gust Hanson, T. R. Falls; Richard Dablow, T. R. Falls.

To the Voters—

I wish to express my thanks to the voters in and around St. Hilaire as well as through the county for the splendid vote given me at the recent Primary election. If elected to office of Clerk of District Court at the fall election, I pledge the same courteous service as given before during my previous terms as a county officer.

JOHN GULLINGSRUD.

Larson-Anderson

Last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson in Bray occurred the marriage of their daughter, Lillian Jeanette, to Mr. Axel Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Axel Anderson of Nunda. Rev. H. A. Larson of this village officiated at the ceremony. Attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Ylesund of Thief River Falls. Following a reception at the Larson home, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson left for California where they plan to make their home.

DANCE

To Music of
JIMMY ALABO AND HIS ORCHESTRA

Saturday, Sept. 28th
FRONTIER PAVILION

St. Hilaire

Refrigerated Lockers

Our new cold storage locker plant is finished and in operation. A few compartments are still available.

Store your own meat, and call for it as needed. Cooling, cutting and packaging of meats for those who desire it.

Call at the creamery for any information desired.

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THIEF RIVER FALLS SLATED FOR AIRPORT

The civil aeronautics administration at Washington this week announced that \$682,600 in allotments had been "marked" for construction or improvements of airports and landing fields in northern Minnesota in connection with the nation-wide airport development program of the defense act.

Largest of the proposed projects in this section is an airport at Thief River Falls to cost \$181,000. Similar projects also are slated for Crookston and Bemidji each estimated to cost \$168,000. Improvements or new construction on smaller scale are planned for Red Lake Falls, Warren, Erskine, Warroad, Ada, Greenbush, Roseau and other northwestern Minnesota towns.

FORMER STATE SENATOR DIES

D. P. O'Neill, 87 former representative and state senator from this district some years ago, died yesterday at his home at Minneapolis.

Shortly after turn of the century, Mr. O'Neill came to this country, acquired extensive real estate interests, and took active interest in politics. As a legislator he sponsored the first mothers' pension and teachers' pension bills. It was during his tenure of office that northwest Minnesota was given a state teachers college located at Bemidji.

After leaving this section, Mr. O'Neill located at Minneapolis where he was president of the Farmers Home Mutual Insurance Company at the time of his death.

Surviving are three daughters and one son.

THANKS TO VOTERS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the voters of the 6th Legislative District for the splendid support given my candidacy at the primary election and sincerely hope that I will merit a continuance of that friendly support.

Carsten Mead.

Dr. D. S. Horn was here Monday and Tuesday from Ulen to take care of his local dental practice. He will return again for a two days stay Oct. 21-22.

Dance!

RAY ELLINGSON'S
JACK PINK SAVAGES
Saturday, Oct. 5
—
Fresno Pavilion
St. Hilaire
New and Old Time Music

Service for You

Cold storage locker service and handling of meats from cutting to packaging, is only one phase of the service available at your creamery.

We handle flour, feeds, table and stock salt, cheese, feed corn and other products. Give your creamery first consideration when in the market for these items. You are helping yourself when you boost and patronize the creamery.

St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery Association

St. Hilaire, Minn.

TO SPEAK HERE



REV. K. L. BJORKLUND
Of the Adolph, Minnesota, circuit of the Mission Covenant church, who will conduct a gospel crusade in St. Hilaire, starting Sunday, Oct. 6.

GOSPEL CRUSADE AT MISSION COVENANT

The local Mission Covenant church, St. Hilaire, is sponsoring a Gospel Crusade beginning Sunday morning, October 6th and continuing according to present plans including Sunday evening, October 13th.

The speaker for these meetings will be the Pastor E. Ludwig Bjorklund, of the Mission Covenant churches in the Adolph, Minn., circuit. Pastor Bjorklund hails from Sweden where he was evangelist for some years, but has spent the last 15 years in America, serving Mission Covenant churches in Minnesota.

Services will be held on the two Sundays at 10 A. M. and nights every evening, Monday including Saturday during that at 8 P. M. On Thursday evening (October 10th) Pastor Holmen from Fertile will be present to give special musical numbers. For those who can be present at 7:45 P. M. that evening, Pastor Holmen will give a 15 minute song service.

At the other services, local talent will be responsible for music and on Sunday evenings the string band will participate.

"We trust," said Rev. E. N. Wiberg, pastor of the church, "that the people of St. Hilaire and vicinity will remember that they are all urged to make use of these opportunities and come and hear the gospel proclaimed freely and without respect for persons and denominations. This is not a church membership campaign but a soul-saving crusade!" Romans 15:30.

Miscellaneous Social

On October 11 at Dalysdale school, Dist. 194, seven miles southwest of Thief River Falls. Juvenile Minstrel program with special music. Girls here bring an article.

Elna Scholten, teacher.

Edwin Wingo, grandson of Mrs. G. A. Holmes of this village, now a senior at St. Olaf College, Northfield, was recently elected into the Blue Key, national honorary fraternity, selection into the society being based on character, scholarship and service.

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A special meeting of stockholders of the local creamery was held yesterday to consider the matter of participating in establishment of a centrally located drying plant to serve creameries in this and the Crookston district. Only fifteen stockholders were present at the meeting, and vote on the proposition was so close it was decided to drop the matter until some future time.



Tales About Town

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The local G. N. station was connected up for electric light service this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rotzler are expected home soon following a trip to their former home in Iowa.

Mrs. M. R. Graham and daughter, Marya, left Saturday for a visit with relatives at Bertha, Minn.

Mrs. May Moses, who has visited relatives in the central part of the state, returned here this week for a visit at the home of her brother, N. E. Beebe.

Joseph Babb of Wakefield, Kansas, has spent the past two weeks here at the home of his aunt, Mrs. J. V. Patton. He plans to return home in about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. McKeercher have had as their guests during the past week, two brothers of Mr. McKeercher, one from Iowa and the other from Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hansen enjoyed a motor trip last Sunday to Bandette by way of Bemidji and back home by way of Warroad and Roseau. They found road conditions excellent the entire distance.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bergh and children, accompanied by Mrs. Bergh's father, H. J. Valley, left Saturday on a motor trip to points near Green Bay, Wis., the boyhood home of Mr. Valley, where they were to visit old friends and relatives.

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P. T. A. MEETS OCT. 11

For the next meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association to be held Friday evening, October 11, the topic will be "Child Hygiene." Miss Ruth, George, County nurse under the Red Cross sweep, will give a talk on her work with school children in the rural schools and St. Hilaire.

Parents of all school children are especially invited and urged to be present at this meeting which will be both interesting and instructive. To give parents a better insight into school work and school conditions, all members of the teaching staff will be in their rooms at 7:30 until opening of the program. They will be pleased to meet parents of their pupils, and to answer questions pertaining to their own departments of the school.

CONFUSION IN NAMES

Voters of the Ninth District may be a little bit confused when they go to the polls on Tuesday, November 5th, to mark their ballots for the office of United States Representative in Congress since the names of the candidates of the Farmer-Labor and Republican parties are very similar. The Republican nominee is Rev. Colvin G. Butler of Fergus Falls, while the Farmer-Labor party candidate and present Congressman is Richard Thompson Buckler, Andover Township farmer of Polk County.

E. O. Burke, fieldman for the Federal Land Bank, St. Paul, was here Friday and Saturday for a visit at the home of his mother, Mrs. B. E. Burke, while attending to business matters in this section.

Local apilarists have nearly finished extracting their honey crops for this season. Next will come the task of packing the bees for winter storage.

A service crew of the Northern States Power Company, Grand Forks, was here yesterday making needed repairs and alterations on the electrical distribution system in and near the village.

WARREN JUDGE DIES

B. B. Brett, age 71, probate court judge of Marshall county, died yesterday at his home at Warren. He formerly was engaged in practice of law at Stephen until 1927 when he was appointed to the judgeship by former Governor Theo. Chas. Hanson. At time of his death, Mr. Brett was president of the Marshall County Historical Society.

PTA COMMITTEES NAMED FOR YEAR

The following PTA standing and program committees to serve during the coming year were appointed recently: Membership—Mrs. Arvid Dahlstrom, Mrs. Alex Swanson, Mrs. O. Saugen and Mrs. Harry Sandberg; Hospitality—Mrs. Erickson; Mrs. O. Gustaf, Miss Erickson; A. Elden; Publicity—Mrs. E. D. Jensen, Mrs. Wm. Palmquist, Mrs. John Lundberg; Finance—Paul Roy, Nylos Jackson and Mrs. W. Atchison; Sept. Reception—Mrs. E. D. Jensen, Mrs. Ruel Rolland, Marvin Olness, Mrs. Carlson; Oct. Child Hygiene—Mrs. O. Gustaf, Mrs. E. Carlson and Mrs. H. A. Larson; Nov. Library Service: Miss Anderson, Mrs. Roy Engstrom, Mrs. Fred Biskye; Dec. Christmas Program—Miss Cheney, Miss Mammel and Miss Erickson; Jan. Topic to be selected—H. L. Holmes, Mrs. Alex Swanson, Elmer Erickson; Feb. Founders Day—Mrs. Harry Winter, Mrs. Richard Larson, V. G. Brink; Mar. Recreation—Cleve Bergquist, Miss Price and Norman Bergh; April. Reserved for the land; May, Social—Mrs. John Hansen, Mrs. Oscar Haugen and Mrs. M. H. Jackson.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at the Larson funeral home at Thief River Falls by Rev. M. L. Dahle for Walter Kemmer, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Odegard of Harel who died Saturday morning. Burial took place in the Rockbury cemetery.

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AUCTION SALE!!

The following listed personal property will be sold at Public Auction on the Blackmoor Farms, 1 1/2 miles northeast of St. Hilaire, on

MONDAY, OCT. 7, 1940

Sale will start at 10:30 A. M.

14 Head of Farm Horses 20 Head of Cattle
240 Head Blackfaced Lambs
Full Line Farm Machinery Household Goods

TERMS: Usual sale terms will apply. Those desiring credit should make arrangements with clerk, or own bank, before the sale.

BLACKMOOR FARMS

V. C. Nöper, Auctioneer

Owner

Northern State Bank, Clerk.

CLASSIFIED
DEPARTMENT

FOR SALE: Used Duxco Light Plant
sets, electric motor controllers. Priced to
sell. E. L. ELECTRIC MOTOR, 211-1st
St., St. Paul, Minn.

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REGISTRATION DAY WEDNESDAY, OCT. 10

On October 16, 1940, if you are a male citizen of the United States of a male alien residing in the United States, and you have on that date reached your 21st birthday but have not reached your 36th birthday, you must present yourself at a polling place for registration.

Any person who on Registration Day is prevented by illness from presenting himself before a Registration Board, but who is not in a hospital, shall, before a competent person apply to the Chief Registrar, in his own district, who will authorize him to make out the registration card, and return the completed card for issuance of a registration certificate.

Any person too sick or who is quarantined on Registration Day, shall, as soon as possible, present himself to the local board to be registered, but must have a physician's certificate or other competent evidence to prove valid cause for failing to register on the proper day.

Men away at schools and colleges can register at places established on their campus. CCC men attending camp away from home will be registered by their unit commanders in camp.

All persons registering will receive a registration certificate which they carry on their persons as evidence they have complied with registration requirements.

In St. Hilaire registration will be at the village community room in the rear of the post office building. Henry Johnson, village clerk, and N. Highland will act as registrars.

Registration itself does not constitute a call to military training which will come later when all registrants have been classified.

Social-Carnival

A social and carnival will be held Thursday evening, Oct. 17, in Diet. 106, 7 1/2 miles west of St. Hilaire. A musical program will be given by local and outside talent. Ladies please bring a pair of Men's socks. Everybody welcome. Evelyn Thyren, teacher.

Dance!

FRONTIER PAVILION
St. Hilaire
SATURDAY, OCT. 12
JIMMY AARU AND HIS ORCHESTRA
New and Old Time Music

P.T.A. MEETS OCT. 11

Next P.T.A. meeting will take place Friday evening this week, Oct. 11. A cordial invitation is extended to parents and others to come at 7:30 and visit the class rooms and teachers before opening of the program which consists of community singing, a short talk by Mrs. Mary Shaw, Chairman of the Pennington County Red Cross; a talk on Child Welfare by Miss Ruth George, county nurse; a Playlet by the 1st graders; a Quiz contest between the Marrieds and Singles to be conducted by Mrs. J. A. Hansen; the closing song and then lunch from the domestic science room.

Anderson-Anderson
Last Sunday at Thief River Falls occurred the marriage of Miss Doris Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Anderson of Wylin, to Mr. Arthur Anderson of Minneapolis. Attendees at the ceremony which was performed by Rev. Jacob Bengtson, brother-in-law and sister of the bride. Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served to relatives at the Anderson home in Wylin. The bride, a graduate of St. Hilaire High School, has been employed at Minneapolis, and the groom has employment in that city. The young couple left yesterday for Minneapolis where they will reside.

POTATO SHOW, NOV. 6-8

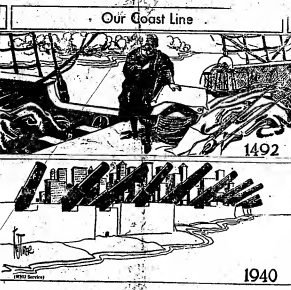
The seventh Annual Minnesota Red River Valley Potato Show is to be held this year at East Grand Forks, Nov. 6-7-8, at the Central High School Auditorium. Nationally known specialists in potato diseases, marketing, certification and potato improvement will be present. Minnesota Commissioner of Agriculture R. A. Crockett also will appear on the well balanced program. The annual banquet will take place Thursday evening in the American Legion Hall at 8:30.

CHICKEN DINNER

The annual chicken dinner will be served by the N. L. Ludief Aid at the church, parish Friday, Oct. 18. Serving to begin at 11:30.

MENU
Fried Chicken Meat Balls
Buttered Peas and Carrots
Baked Beans
Mashed Potatoes
Cranberries Pickles
Pie
Prunes School children 50c and Adults 35c

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Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief News
Concerning People You Know

Just as a reminder—only 75 days remain before Christmas.

Mias Anna Vik leaves soon to visit friends in southern part of this state and in Wisconsin.

Aavid Dahlestrom has taken a contract to do the bricklaying work on the new school addition being built at Goodridge.

Cornel Aubol and Halmer Nelson are back after having taken in harvest and threshing in the vicinity of Calvin, N. Dak.

Lisemen of the Northern States Power Company have been here this week checking new installations and testing meters.

L. F. Olson, manager of the creamery, went Tuesday to Minneapolis to attend a convention of creamery operators and managers.

After spending a short time at the Beebe home, Mrs. May Moses left Saturday for Peleian to visit relatives before going to California for the winter.

A wedding dance was given Tuesday night at the local dance hall by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Anderson of Minneapolis whose marriage occurred last Sunday at Thief River Falls.

Frank Rojina and family are here from Excelsior to finish fall work in connection with their local apyary. Following extracting of honey this week, the hives will be packed for winter storage.

Supt. M. R. Graham and Roll Wollan attended a meeting Wednesday evening of the aganist club, an organization of schoolmen of the 31st district, which was held at the Bohn Hotel at Maple Lake. Supt. H. I. Berger of Plummer presided at the meeting.

An auction sale of stock and farm machinery will be held tomorrow, Oct. 11, at the farm of Mrs. Martha Harder northwest of the village. A good line of machinery as well as one excellent stock will be offered for sale. Fred Bruggen of Plummer will cry the sale.

After closing out her personal property at auction, and leaving her farm to Kenneth Swan for the coming year, Mrs. J. V. Patton left Tuesday morning with her nephew, Joseph, Bab, Mr. Wakelind, Kane, where she plans to spend the winter months with relatives. Although undated at this time, Mrs. Patton may decide to return here next spring.

Ed. Peterson has been confined to his home for several days because of illness.

Co. Commissioner Paul Roy of Thief River Falls and Chief River Falls to preside at monthly meeting of the county board.

Adolph Satterberg, the farm machinery dealer, has improved the appearance of his place of business by application of a coat of paint.

Mrs. J. E. Winger of Pine-wood came this week to spend two or three weeks visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arne Vik.

A large crowd attended the auction sale held Monday at the Blackmore Farms northeast of here. Joe Royal, who has leased the farm for 1941, is moving on with his stock and machinery.

Mrs. Arne Vik returned Sunday from University hospital, Minneapolis, where she underwent an operation some weeks ago. Friends will be pleased to know her health is gradually improving.

Walfrid Wahlbeck, who has been employed the past six years in the park service in and near New London, returned home this week. He plans to make his home with his brother, William, on the farm southwest of the village.

Friends of Mrs. M. L. Dahle tendered her annual birthday party Monday afternoon at a gathering held at the Norwegian Lutheran church parlors. A very pleasant afternoon was spent at conclusion of which Mrs. Dahle was presented with a number of fine gifts as reminders of the happy occasion.

Mrs. Swan Johnson and sons, Theodore and Philip of Thousand Oaks, Calif., are expected here late this week for a visit at the Elmer Johnson, Arvid Pahlstrom and Loyd Johnson homes and with other relatives. They will visit here while enroute home after a visit at the home of a daughter and sister in Washington, D. C.

Walter's Largest is located in Visitors to Elmer, or Northern Ireland, report that it is quite American in its design, for it claims to have the world's largest alphabet and the most letters in the world. It is a puzzle to some of the most famous rural scenes of Europe.

DR. SPOFFORD
OPTOMETRIST
WILL BE AT
St. Hilaire, Oct. 26, afternoon
Eyes Examined—Glasses Fitted

HAVE RAM EXCHANGE

Between thirty and thirty-five rams were exchanged at the annual ram exchange day held at the fairgrounds at Thief River Falls last Thursday. A plentiful supply of good quality purebred Shropshire and Hampshire rams was on hand with over sixty local rams, and two from November 15 to Nov. 25, brought in on the ram truck sponsored by the extension service.

The trading and exchange proved somewhat slow during the day despite the rather large attendance. W. E. Moore, livestock specialist from the Agricultural Extension Service attended the event and discussed ram problems with many in attendance.

ORGANIZE RURAL YOUTH GROUP

A rural youth group was organized last Wednesday evening at Thief River Falls with the assistance of Miss Ruby Christianson, rural youth specialist from University farm and the county extension office. About twenty-five rural young men and women attended the meeting and elected Iris Ayers as temporary chairman, and Edith Farnow as temporary secretary.

The rural youth organization is primarily for young people who are reaching the age limits in 4-H club work, and for those who have passed the age limit. The groups receive assistance and aid from the state and county extension office in conducting their educational and recreational program.

Four delegates from the county, Morris Engstrand, Harry Solberg, Elaine Helgeson, and Edith Hanson will attend a series of monthly training schools at Red Lake Falls. They in turn will lead the discussion of the regular monthly meetings in Pennington County. This fall and winter a series of meetings on farm engineering will be conducted for the boys and a series of meetings on the well-dressed young man will be conducted for the girls.

DAIRMEN MEET OCT. 23RD

Annual meeting of the Thief River Valley Dairymen's Association will be held this year at Bemidji on Wednesday, Oct. 23rd. On Tuesday the creamery operators of the district will meet and the better submitted will be judged on a business basis.

Wednesday morning a business session will be held at the Markham Hotel. The afternoon session will be held in the high school auditorium with Stuart McLeod presiding. The evening banquet will be held at the Masonic Temple. H. Z. Mitchell, editor of the Bemidji Daily Pioneer, will preside as toastmaster at the meeting following the banquet. A splendid program has been arranged, and it will be well worth the while of any dairymen to spend a day at Bemidji.

WEEKLY MARKET

Wheat	 \$.87
Rye	88
Durum	87
Malting Barley	38
Feed Barley	38
Oats	28
Flax	 1.27

COUNTY INCLUDED FOR DEER HUNTING

Announcement this week by Dr. W. L. Strunk, state conservation commissioner, gives a northern half of the state an open season on deer and bear from November 15 to Nov. 25, inclusive, except in certain areas. In prior years hunting in Pennington county was permitted only east of the Winnipeg line of the Soo. This year hunting will be legal east of the line starting at Noyes on the Canadian-Minnesota border and thence southerly on a line 75 to Crookston and east on U. S. Highway No. 2 to Erskine then south and east to the Minnesota-Wisconsin line which includes practically all the good deer hunting area in the state. Included in this area is all of Pennington and Red Lake counties where deer are reported to be quite numerous.

Hunting also will be permitted within three miles of each side of the Gunflint trail from Superior to the Canadian border. The entire county of Otter Fall will not be open for hunting.

Farm Marketing Progress

The first co-operative farm marketing organization in America was a "cheese ring" set up in 1861 by a farmer at Rock Island in Iowa. The farmer agreed to manufacture cheese for three of his neighbors in turn being supplied with their farm products.

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St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery Association
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Here's a Smart
Prelude to Fall

PICTURE yourself in this suave, lovely afternoon frock with fluted, scalloped lines which make every step a poem! Your figure will look slim at the waist and hips and prettily rounded above the hips (that diagram!) You can brighten the high neckline with a blazing gold necklace, or snowy pearls, or pin one of these attractive new chokerlaces at the point of the shoulder yoke!

This need not be just a pleasant imagining, because if you write at once for pattern No. 1209-B, you can have the dress easily finished before a week is up. In rayon jersey, that crepe or tulle wool, it will give a definite feeling of fall chic.

Pattern No. 1209-B is designed for sizes 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20. It is made of rayon jersey, or tulle wool, or crepe. It is made of rayon jersey, or tulle wool, or crepe. It is made of rayon jersey, or tulle wool, or crepe.

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INDIGESTION

Indigestion is a common ailment which affects many people. It is caused by a variety of factors, including overeating, eating too fast, and eating rich or spicy foods. The symptoms of indigestion include heartburn, bloating, and discomfort in the upper abdomen.

Strong Blander
No cord or cable can draw so forcibly, or bind so fast, as love can do with only a single thread—
Lion Bacon.

COLD'S MISERY
PENETRO.

Growing Pains
Neuralgias are sometimes just growing pains the Lord sends them to think we have not courage enough—Grace Livingston Hill.

THE TRUTH
TOLD

There is a great deal of truth in the statement that the world is a stage. The only difference between the stage and the world is that in the world the audience is also acting. The only difference between the stage and the world is that in the world the audience is also acting.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Roger Shaw

Japan, Italy and Germany Sign Pact
Establishing 'A New Order' for World;
U. S. Places an Embargo on Scrap Iron;
Senate Ratifies Pan-American Treaty

(ENTIRE NEWS-When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the writer and not necessarily those of the Spectator.)
(Revised by Western Union Service)

THE WAR:

Axis Pact

Germany, Italy and Japan agreed to a pact. It amounted to this: Russia or the United States later forced in the Anglo-German war, or the China-Japanese war, by force of arms, all three of the axis partners would go to work as one. The Kremlin at Moscow did not like the pact. Neither did the state department at Washington.

One school of thought in America said they had known it was coming for a long time, and had been prepared for it. Another school of thought said: No. This school said that our meddling in European and East Asiatic affairs at the same time had forced Germany and Japan into one, another's arms. These two schools of U. S. thought did not expect like each other, and Secretary Hull came in for some pretty severe criticism.

Did you?

The basic military principle, at all times, in all places, is this: Don't divide your forces, and don't fight on two fronts. The Germans have learned this, and in this way they have a two-front war, and don't have for several years. What would become

SOLID:

Maybe

The United States senate did a sensible thing. It finally proceeded to ratify the recent American-made pact at Havana de Cuba, whereby America and the other 20 American republics made an out-and-out agreement on diplomatic fundamenality. It is pretty hard to get the 21 to agree about anything, but this time they did. The Argentine (at least) dragging along a bit behind.

The agreement that our senators ratified specified this: That no non-American country can transfer territory in this hemisphere to any other non-American country. Hence, and thereby, the Germans cannot get hold of the Dutch or French West Indian colonies. That bit of sense seemed to cheer everyone of our senators. The Mexicans, of Argentina, and other Latins who do not cherish their kindly old Uncle Sam perhaps they do.

CAMPAIGN:

Tidbits

There was a good deal of commotion around New York, coming from (perhaps) cast Republican opinion. It amounted to this: It is stated that the state department's handling of the American voters around election time and party were very old-fashioned. These same Republicans, or others, had been predicting an international crisis (of some sort or other) before the election, just in time to tilt the balance. They said that at month, month back. They reminded the Americans that just last year the Mexicans and the Nazis had experienced such a thing. The celebrated editor of the forged Zimmler Letter (Hitler) and the fake Richter (Hitler) Democrats did not seem particularly concerned about the political situation. Candidate Roosevelt's campaign moved along according to schedule, still out in front.

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AMBASSADOR SABURO KUSUMI, Japan's envoy to Germany, who signed the pact, Germany, Italy and Japan for his personal. That pact itself seemed to do Willie more harm than good. That Wendell had to be self-defended by his own following.

Cost of the pact was rather high. From London and India were cheering for the pact. A report from London showed P. D. R. to be better filled than the life king, the one of Mr. Winston Churchill. Woodrow

Meanwhile, the French had beaten the British war, an action of Dakar, in West Africa. It raised a storm in England, and it added to Churchill's prestige. There was talk of British government purges, and the French Vichy regime gained prestige. Swarms of French aviators peppered British Gibraltar from the air, and the Nazis moved increasingly into French Indo-China. Hull wisely embargoed scrap iron destined for Japan, and the general mood grew apace.

SCRAPIRON:

Great Stuff (!)

What can you do with a ton of scrapiron, fresh from your favorite automobile graveyard, is truly astounding. The Japanese know that, and had a word for it. They will duly note their American scrapiron, which the U. S. now has taken from them. Some of the scrapiron measure should have been taken from them. Some of the scrapiron measure should have been taken from them.

U. S. entrance officers declared war on the scrapiron. The following is an average ton of scrapiron: "It is a good thing that the scrapiron of the French or American type."

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NAMES

... in the news

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Heads Auxiliary

By LEMUEL F. PARTON

(Consolidated Features—WNU Service)

NEW YORK.—One of the greatest pillars of William Pitt was his famous denunciation of that foul word, "democracy," which

came into the English language from the

Greek word "demos," meaning "people," and "kratos," meaning "power."

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WHO'S

NEWS

THIS

WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON

(Consolidated Features—WNU Service)

NEW YORK.—One of the greatest pillars of William Pitt was his famous denunciation of that foul word, "democracy," which

came into the English language from the

Greek word "demos," meaning "people," and "kratos," meaning "power."

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PROJECT CHECK-UP LUNCHEON OCT. 25

The annual home project check-up luncheon will be held at the Civic and Commerce club room at Thief River Falls next Friday, October 25, it was announced this week by Mrs. A. V. Dahlstrom, Pennington county home and community chairman. All township chairman will meet at 10:30 A. M. to elect a home and community chairman for the coming year and transact other business.

At twelve o'clock all group leaders and township chairmen for the home project groups in the county will enjoy their luncheon together. A short program is being planned consisting of a few special numbers, reports from each training center, and a county report. Miss Helen Hobart, nutrition specialist who furnished the instructional work this year will attend the luncheon and review briefly the accomplishments of this year.

SELL MANY RO FARMS

In a report made to the Governor this week, and released for publication, George C. Jones, Conservator of the Department of Rural Credit, shows rapid strides are being made in liquidation of state owned farms obtained by foreclosure in that department.

Since the last report made July 19, 1940, a total of 337 farms have been sold throughout the state. Since January 1, 1939, the Department has sold 58 farms in Pennington County, placing back on the tax rolls approximately \$4,728.65 annually.

Of the farms sold in this county, 19 were sold to former owners or their children; thirty were sold to men who formerly were tenant farmers in the county, and six were purchased by people outside the county.

The unusually liberal sales terms offered is, and has been an incentive for people wishing to engage in farming, to pick up desirable places by cash outlay within their means.

Appearing as an advertisement in another column, the department lists another group of farms that are available on the same liberal terms for the 1941 season.

DANCE

JOLLY ASSEMBLY AND HIS ORCHESTRA

Saturday, Oct. 19th

at

FRONTIER PAVILION

St. Hilaire

Old Time and Modern Music

Featuring two electric guitars

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Cold storage locker service and handling of meats from cutting to packaging, is only one phase of the service available at your creamery.

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U. S. NAVY BAND COMING
The world famous United States Navy Band, which is heard at regular intervals over national broadcasting networks, will make its first appearance in northern Minnesota at the new High School Auditorium at Bemidji, next Monday, October 21st. There will be three appearances of the band—two afternoon concerts, at 1:30 and 3:00 and one evening concert at 7:30. Special prices for students will be given at the afternoon matinees.

BALL NAMED SENATOR
Joseph H. Ball, St. Paul newspaperman, was appointed United States senator this week by Governor Stassen to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Ernest Lundeen.
Mr. Ball was born Nov. 5, 1892 at Crookston. He attended the public schools there and was graduated from Crookston high school. He attended Ancker college at Yellow Springs, Ohio, and the University of Minnesota, joining the staff of the old Minneapolis Journal in 1914. Since leaving the Journal, he has been reporter and assistant editor of the St. Paul Pioneer Press and Dispatch, serving as political writer for the past six years.

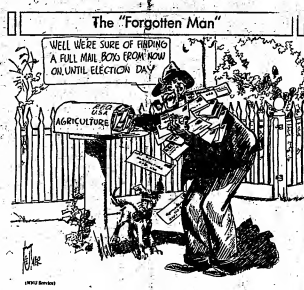
CENTER MARK HIGHWAY
A state highway department plan was passed this week here to center-marking T. H. 32, using the new broken stripe which has been adopted nationally. Instead of the old orange color, white paint is used. The broken stripe plan uses only about half as much paint as the former continuous marking.

GYM NEARS COMPLETION
Interior work on the new school gymnasium addition is rapidly nearing completion. Practically all that remains to be done now is some electric wiring, part of the plumbing, and grading of the ground. It is anticipated the formal dedication of the new building will take place some time next month.

COFFEE DEMONSTRATION
Next Monday, Oct. 21, a demonstration of Nash coffee and other Nash products will be given at the M. H. Jackson store. Free coffee and cookies will be served all day. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to come in.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter were called Tuesday to Shelby by illness of his mother. The latter was showing some improvement when Mr. and Mrs. Winter returned here this evening.

Mike Pricker went Tuesday evening to Holt for a brief visit at the home of his son, George. They enjoyed a partridge hunt Sunday east of Gryg in Beltrami county.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

A fair sized crowd attended the dance given here last Saturday evening at the Gladstone pavilion.

Mrs. Mauritz Brink of Chisholm, Mich., is here this week for a visit at the V. G. and Albert Brink home.

Wm. Hunt of the Hunt Bros. Company at Red Lake Falls, is back at the store after being a patient a couple weeks at a Crookston hospital.

James King of Monterey, Calif., came last week for an extended visit at the home of his uncle, Joe King, at his farm north of the village.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hansen, motored Sunday to Puka park west of Greenbush, and to Lake Bronson, returning by way of Hallock, Stephen, Argyle and Warren.

Messames Delmer, M. Petersen, Ambler, A. V. Jacobson, Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahl, attended a family meeting yesterday at Concordia church near Ross in Roseau county. Rev. C. W. Lundahl, missionary to China for 45 years, was the main speaker at the meeting.

Rev. and Mrs. M. Gjerd and son of Pelican Rapids motored here this morning to supervise erection of a marker in the cemetery north of town, and to visit friends. Rev. Gjerd was pastor of the local Norwegian Lutheran church some twenty years ago.

The Rev. A. W. Haugen, former missionary in China, will show moving pictures on China, Sunday, October 20, at 8:00 P. M., in the local Norwegian Lutheran church. The Rev. Haugen spent twelve years in China. With the showing of the films, some of which are in technical color, he will tell about his experiences as a missionary. Rev. and Mrs. Haugen will be guests at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Roland, during their visit here.

Notice to Wheat Growers!

Bring your government loan wheat to us for storage. We have made arrangements for more storage space, so can handle any amount. Correct grade and dockage assured. Your business appreciated.

Math Barzen Co., Inc.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

DEDICATE OLKIE SCHOOL
Local officials and WPA representatives will gather tonight at Olkie to dedicate the new Junior-Senior High School built by WPA and sponsored by the Olkie district.

The Olkie school addition was begun on July 19, 1938, with Fred Miller of Red Lake Falls as superintendent. Over the life of the project, which was completed October 1, 1940, an average of 35 men were employed.

TO SERVE SCHOOL LUNCHEONS
More than 50,000 children in the schools of Minnesota's 87 counties will have nourishing noon lunches this fall as a result of the further extension of the WPA school lunch project, it was announced this week. The State Department of Education sponsors this service, and it is co-sponsored by local school boards, PTA organizations and civic groups. In Pennington County, lunch units will be operated at St. Hilaire, Thief River Falls and Goodridge.

SEAL CHAIRMAN NAMED
M. R. Graham, superintendent of the village school, has been named chairman of the 1940 Christmas Seal Campaign in this community. It was announced this week by the Minnesota Public Health Association. This service is voluntary in nature, workers giving their time and effort without compensation. The effort to wipe out tuberculosis. The seal also opens Thanksgiving week.

DAIRYMEN MEET WEDNESDAY

Annual meeting of the Red River Valley Dairymen's Association will be held next Wednesday, October 23, at Bemidji. An excellent program, both interesting and instructive, has been arranged for the occasion which is expected to be largely by dairymen, creamery officials and operators from all sections of northwestern Minnesota.

A large crowd attended the meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association at the school last Friday evening. Following an interesting program, lunch was served.

Coincident with the visit here of Mrs. Sven Johnson and sons, Theodore and Philip of Turlock, Calif., a family reunion was held Sunday at the Lloyd Johnson home east of the village. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson and children, and George Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Dahlstrom and daughter, Elmer Johnson and son, Stanley and the visiting guests.

Center pier for the new bridge on T. H. No. 32 at Red Lake Falls was recently completed. Work on grading the approaches is now being done before construction is started on the two abutments. Workmen also have started preparations for moving the Freystran church to a new location since the lots on which the church now stands will be used for highway purposes.

POLITICAL ADVERTISING—Prepared and inserted and paid for at regular advertising rates by Herman A. Kjos, Thief River Falls, Minn., in this paper.

32 REGISTER HERE FOR THE DRAFT

Thirty-two men between the ages of 21 and 36 registered yesterday in the village for selective service and training in the interests of national defense. Each man registered will later receive his serial number from the local county board. Following the lottery which will take place in Washington, the local board will mail questionnaires to registrants. It is upon the answers given in the questionnaires that each man will be classified which, in turn, will determine whether or not he will be called for training. A booklet given to each man as he registered, explains the procedure in detail.

The Pennington County local board will consist of Jesse LaBree, Thief River Falls; A. G. Hansen, Wylie; Owen A. G. Peterson of Goodridge. The examining physician named is Dr. O. F. Meier of Thief River Falls. Attorney Paul A. Lundgren of Thief River Falls has been named Government appeal agent.

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This beautiful table model gives you the utmost in musical enjoyment.

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Here's the table model answer to your complete listening enjoyment.

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JUDGE OF PROBATE
PENNINGTON COUNTY

At the General Election Nov. 5, 1940

Was high man at the Primary Election, Sept. 16.
A resident of Pennington county since 1916.
Have family consisting of wife and four children.
Qualified by education and experience to administer the duties of the office in an efficient, impartial, and economical manner.
Your Vote and Support Will be Appreciated.

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Volume 60

St. Hilaire, Minn., Thursday, Oct. 24, 1940

GOV. H. E. STASSEN AT THIEF RIVER, OCT. 26

Republicans of the Ninth district will stage a big rally at Thief River Falls on Saturday, October 26. The rally will be held at the Municipal Auditorium at 9:00 P. M., the doors of the Auditorium opening at 8:00.

The speakers will be Governor Harold E. Stassen and Congressional candidate Colvin C. Gaudier. Immediately preceding the Governor's address, there will be a Ninth District and a dinner at the Palm Garden Cafe. Reservations for the dinner may be made by notifying Paul A. Lundgren before Friday noon.

It is expected this will be one of the best attended Republican meetings in this section and likely will be the last appearance of Governor Stassen in northwestern Minnesota before the general election eleven days hence.

SCHOOL NOTES

Miss George, the county Red Cross nurse, announces that physical examination of children in the St. Hilaire school will start Monday, October 28. For the first and second grades the dates set are Oct. 28-29; for the 3rd and 4th grades, Oct. 30-31; for the 5th and 6th grades, Nov. 1 and 2; for the 7th and 8th grades, Nov. 5 and 6. Parents of children in these grades are asked to be present at 10 o'clock the first day set for examination in each division.

On November 7 a general meeting of all high school pupils will be held. Health inspections of high school pupils will be from 11 to 12 daily commencing Nov. 7 and continuing through November 27. Co-operation of all parents is requested in order to get the greatest possible benefit from these examinations.

Everybody is cordially invited to the program and carnival at Cherville School, Dist. 154, 4 miles east and 1 1/2 miles north of St. Hilaire, Saturday evening, Oct. 26. Norma Orloff, teacher.

Next meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association will be held Friday evening, November 8.

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Saturday, Oct. 26

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Association**

St. Hilaire, Minn.

LIBRARY TO RE-OPEN

The Woman's Club is sponsoring a branch of the Thief River Falls Carnegie library here as successor to the federal aid project which was discontinued in June. A member of the club will be in attendance from 2:00 to 5:00 on Wednesday, and from 7:00 to 9:00 P. M., Saturday evenings. The library will be located as before, in the village council room in the rear of the postoffice building.

NAMES ADVISORY BOARDS

Advisory boards for selective service registrants were named in each judicial district of the state this week by Governor Stassen. Each member is an attorney and will assist, without charge, any registrant who wishes help in completing his questionnaire. The 14th Judicial District were: Martin O'Brien, Crookston; H. D. Dorsey, Thief River Falls; and Oscar R. Knutson, Warren. As selection members may be announced later by the present members of Advisory Boards.

BUCKLER ENDORSED

Richard Thompson Buckler, United States Congressman from this ninth Minnesota district, has been endorsed for re-election by the executive committee of the Democratic party of Otter Tail County. The meeting of the executive committee was held at Battle Lake on Tuesday, October 10.

Congressman Buckler's accomplishments during his term of office, together with the national emergency that now exists, influenced this Democratic body to support his return to office for another term.

Selective Service Questionnaires will be sent to all men who registered immediately following October 28. A sample copy is on file at this office.

Myles Jackson, accompanied by Mrs. Jackson and daughter, Patty, and sister Gladys Maki, and motored yesterday to Detroit Lakes from which point the three latter left by train to visit relatives in Minneapolis. Mr. Jackson returned home last evening.

With exception of a few small tracts, fall plowing is finished throughout this section of the county. Farmers are now taking advantage of the fine weather by getting in supplies of fodder and fuel.

First meeting of the B. M. Club for this fall was held Monday evening at the club rooms. The club decided to act as co-sponsor of a carnival and entertainment to be given at the county auditorium some time next month after the building is completed. Proceeds of the entertainment are to be used for purchase of equipment for the building.



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General election takes place a week from Tuesday.

Last half of the current real estate taxes are due and payable by end of this month.

With only two or three killing frosts thus far, fall weather in northern Minnesota has been exceptionally fine this year.

Douglas Larson, student at Gustavus-Adolphus College at St. Peter, is home for a visit with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Larson.

Ed. Peterson, who went for examination and treatment at University Hospital, Minneapolis, a week ago, returned home Sunday morning.

Mrs. Mary Sherva leaves this week to spend the winter months at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Seeland at Thief River Falls.

A pall of smoke over this section today indicates that fires have again broken out in the swamp country to the east and northeast of here.

Roger Roy, student at the University of North Dakota, spent Saturday and Sunday here at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roy.

A social meeting of the Lutheran League will be held at the church parlors Thursday evening, Oct. 31. All young people in the community are invited.

Howard Houston of Albert Lea called at the home of his uncle, E. J. Dalager, Friday evening. Mr. Houston was in this community in the interest of rural farm wiring project in this neighborhood.

A good sized audience witnessed the showing of moving pictures of scenes in China by Rev. A. W. Haugen at the Norwegian Lutheran church last Sunday evening. Both the pictures and the talk given by Rev. Haugen were very interesting.

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WOMEN'S CLUB MEETS

The St. Hilaire Women's Club held its October meeting Thursday evening at the club rooms. After transacting the usual business, the evening was given over to a social time. The decorations, favors and program "stunt" talents were given in the Halloween spirit. The program committee: Mesdames Leida, Blakely and Gustaf. Hostesses were Mesdames Corbet, Collins and Ness.

TAXPAYERS ORGANIZE

The Pennington County Taxpayers Association was organized Oct. 14 at Thief River Falls. Directors elected at the organization meeting met Oct. 19 and elected officers and appointed committees for the coming year. A general meeting was held Monday evening this week to get the new organization on a working basis.

Purpose of the association is to review the plans and methods for assessing taxes, the practice of officials in respect thereof, the basis for valuations, the discovery of omitted taxable values, under-assessment, and to impress upon all tax spending bodies the necessity of practicing economy and efficiency in order to stop the upward trend of taxes.

Pennington County will send a delegation of seven 4-H boys and girls to the Junior Livestock Show which opens Monday, Oct. 28, at South St. Paul. County Agent L. A. Larvi will accompany the group to the show which will continue through Thursday. This locality will be represented by Harold Bothman of Rockcastle club with an exhibit of sheep.

Dr. D. S. Horn of Ulen made his regular monthly visit here Monday and Tuesday this week. He is scheduled to return again Tuesday and Wednesday, Nov. 12-13.

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Callers at the home of Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle last Thursday were Rev. and Mrs. O. P. Stensland, Mr. and Mrs. Westling and a sister of the latter, all from Drayton, N. D. Mr. and Mrs. J. Lind of Donaldson and Rev. and Mrs. M. S. Gjerdie and son of Polkan Rapids.

Members of the local school staff left last evening to attend sessions of the Minnesota Educational Association at Minneapolis. Mr. and Mrs. Graham went by way of Bertha where Mrs. Graham and daughter will spend the week-end with relatives. Miss Price is attending N.D.E.A. meetings at Grand Forks.

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14TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
General Election Nov. 5

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We have been requested to ask our boys and men of all ages to be real Americans during Halloween this year. Let us think of the good things given us by our home-owners and churches. These same people have made possible our new school gymnasium, the library, skating rink, the band, and have helped mothers and children in time of need. Have a good time if you desire, but do not destroy property or do anything whereby others may suffer injury. Be gentlemen, and remember to be Americans.

Four men were held off on the local WPA school project this week. A similar reduction was made in the crew working at Thief River Falls.

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BIG VOTE CAST IN VILLAGE TUESDAY

In keeping with efforts made throughout the nation to get all voters to the polls, this village cast the largest vote in years at the general election Tuesday. One hundred eighty-seven were cast, and about ten persons who were qualified so to do, failed to vote.

The trend in the national field was Democratic since Roosevelt got 105 votes to 64 for Willkie. The state ballot, however, was different as Herman Petersen, Farmer-Labor candidate for governor received 87 votes to 75 for Stassen.

For Representative in Congress, Richard L. Buckner, F.L. was high with 77 votes; C.W. C. Butler received 62 and Frank H. Timm, D., was favored with 26 votes.

For Judge of District Court, Michael Brattland topped all candidates with 105 votes to 76 for James Montague, C. for Oscar R. Knutson and 49 for A. A. Trost.

For Representative in the 65th District, Carsten Mead of Red Lake Falls received 112 votes; J. O. Melby of Okies got 75, and Walter Day of Bagley and Gilbert Brattland of Red River Falls each received 62 votes.

For Clerk of District Court, John Gullstrand had 81 votes to 91 for his opponent Henry Sturhug.

For Judge of Probate Court, Andrew Bottelton, incumbent, got 79 votes to 30 for Herman Kjos.

Paul Roy, commissioner for the Third District, received the highest vote of any candidate, getting 170 to 5 for S. Hunt who came out as a "write-in" candidate.

The school has chosen Friday, November 29 as the day for the carnival and play which will be given jointly by different civic organizations and the school. Proceeds will be used to purchase equipment for the new gymnasium.

Piano lessons, 35 cents. Call Mrs. R. M. Rolland, city, 21.

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GIVE FAREWELL PARTY

The Women's Club gave a party at the local hall Tuesday night honoring one of its members, Miss Isabelle Rosenbald, whose marriage to Mr. Frank Gilboe of Winnipeg will occur soon. They will make their home at Winnipeg. Miss Rosenbald was presented gifts of Linen as tokens of remembrance from her club associates.

FEEDING SCHOOL, NOV. 15

Attention of farmers is called to the fact that the livestock feeding school planned for next Friday, November 15, will be held at the Sons of Norway hall. It was previously announced that it would be held at the Civic and Commerce Club rooms, but another meeting makes it impossible to meet there. The meeting will begin at 1:30 P. M.

At the feeding school a few weeks ago, several of what were considered the more serious feeding problems were brought to the attention of the farmers. H. R. Searies, extension livestock specialist from the University Farm answered a number of questions regarding feeding dairy cattle. Mr. Searies will continue his discussion on the same subject at the feeding program for local feeders.

KJOS-STORHAUG WIN

In what was probably the hardest fought contests of any of the county districts, Herman Kjos of Thief River Falls won the post of Judge of Probate Court from Andrew Bottelton, incumbent, by a vote of 8431 to 2911.

Henry Sturhug of Thief River Falls will become Clerk of District Court next January. He received a total of 8467 votes to 2374 cast for his opponent, John Gullstrand, former county treasurer.

Fredrickson-Adolphson
Friends through this community will be pleased to learn of the marriage of Miss Effie Fredrickson to Mr. T. J. Adolphson which occurred Sunday, October 28 at Thief River Falls. Both bride and groom are well known here and have a host of friends who join in extending congratulations and best wishes.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolphson left Sunday enroute to his fruit ranch near Berkeley, Calif. where they will spend the winter months. They will return here next spring to continue and expand the apary business established here last spring by Mr. Adolphson.

TAX SALE NEXT WEEK

A public sale of agricultural and non-agricultural lands that have reverted to the state because of non-payment of taxes will be held at the court house at Thief River Falls next Tuesday and Wednesday. Agricultural lands in the various townships will be offered for sale Tuesday, and city and village property will be sold Wednesday. Property will be sold only in the order it was previously advertised, and at not less than the appraised price for each parcel. In this county the sale is for cash.

MISCELLANEOUS SALE

The Norwegian Lutheran church will hold a miscellaneous sale at the church parlors Wednesday evening, Nov. 13, at 8 o'clock. Everyone welcome.

There will be choir practice at the Norwegian Lutheran church next Wednesday, Nov. 13 and each Wednesday thereafter.

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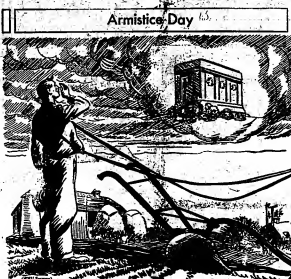
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Phil Ewing, who has attended a barber school at Minneapolis, has returned home.

Regular meetings of the M. Club and village council were held Monday night this week.

A line crew of the Northern States Power Company was here this week running a new power line to the Barzen elevator in the lead line.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Brink and baby son plan to leave in the near future to spend the winter months in the Rio Grande district of southern Texas.

Rev. M. L. Dahle was called Tuesday to Ada by the serious illness of his aunt, Mrs. Andrew Halland, who died yesterday morning. Rev. Dahle plans to attend the funeral which will be held Friday at Ada.

At the PTA meeting Friday night, all who have PTA dish towels in their possession are requested to bring them to the school. Others who have not donated towels, are invited to bring one marked with the PTA initials.

Last Saturday, which was the last day of November when winter is supposed to be "right around the corner," Mrs. Paul Orloff picked a nice lot of radishes from her garden. This is the second crop for this year, and they are fully as tasty, if not better, than those picked last June. As further proof that the cold zone does not extend down this far, Albert Nelson picked a nice bunch of sweet pea blossoms at his place the same day.

WOMEN'S CLUB TO MEET
The November meeting of the Women's Club will be held on Nov. 14th, instead of Nov. 21, as formerly announced. The topic is: "Benefits of Federation," and members are requested to each bring a question concerning it for the "Question Box." Roll call "Current Events."

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ARMISTICE DAY PROGRAM
In observance of American Education Week in which the theme is "Education for Common Defense" the grades and high school will have programs in the different rooms at school on Monday which is Armistice Day. Parents and public are cordially invited to the program to be given by the high school at 3:06 P. M.

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PTA MEETS FRIDAY NIGHT

Next meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association will be held at the school auditorium Friday evening this week. The following program will be given:

Star Spangled Banner-Audience Sing-Sung by 1st Grade
Address "Americanism"
Song-Rev. Roy Wilberg
Group of Girls
God Bless America
Led by 1st Grade

STATE QUOTA FILLED

No Minnesota draftees will be called into service this year, it was announced by the war department this week.

Enlistments throughout the state have been so high that the Minnesota quota for 1940 has been filled, and no registered men will be needed in the November draft, regardless of how early they were drawn in the national lottery last month. Questionnaires for draftees start going out this week for purpose of classification even though there is little likelihood of any men being called until 1941.

Linquist-Stavenger

Miss Vivian Andell Linquist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gunnar Linquist of Black River Falls, became the bride of John Stavenger, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Stavenger, Sr., of Laverne, Minn., at a ceremony Monday evening at the local Norwegian Lutheran parsonage. Rev. M. L. Dahle officiating. The attendants were Miss Olive Mae Landman and Stanley Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. Stavenger plan to make their home in this community where they have a host of friends who join in wishing them lifelong happiness.

DAY-MELBY RETURNED

Returns from all three counties comprising the 65th Legislative district indicate Walter Day, Bagley, and J. O. Melby, Okies, have won their contests for re-election. The district vote was 5409 for Melby; 6296 for Day; 6968 for Carsten Mead of Red Lake Falls, and 6972 for Gilbert Brattland of Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Anna Kotlan and family of Mave have moved into their residence in south part of the village which was purchased by Mrs. Kotlan last summer. There are four children of school age in the family.

Robert Collins is making plans to leave in the near future for Seattle, Wash., where he has promise of employment in the Bremerton Navy Yards. If suited with country and climate, he and family may decide to locate in Washington.

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DEMOCRATS WIN IN NATIONAL ELECTION

President Roosevelt's election to serve a third term as the nation's chief executive, also left the control of both houses of Congress where it has been since 1932, with the Democrats. In accordance with earlier predictions, the president led in eighty percent of the states in one of the hardest fought elections in history of this country.

While Minnesota gave its 11 electoral votes to President Roosevelt, it re-elected its Republican governor and the entire Republican state ticket. The Farmer-Labor forces, which were in control of the state two years ago, did not fare so well in this election, not a single candidate bearing that label being elected to any state office.

COMMISSIONERS WIN

According to complete, but unofficial, returns from the entire county, there will be no changes on the county board this year. Paul Roy received a total of 661 votes to 105 for S. Hunt. A. E. Mead of the Fifth district noded out his opponent, Pat Oulkins by 514 to 484. Frank Rice was re-elected for a four year term in his district by a vote of 664 to 582 for his opponent, Alfred Longren.

Thank You

I wish to thank the voters of Hennepin county for the privilege of serving you as Judge of Probate during the past eight-years. I sincerely appreciate the loyal support of my friends in the recent campaign, and wish to congratulate my successful opponent, Mr. Herman A. Kjos.

ANDREW BOTTELTON

Thanks to Voters . . .

I wish to thank the voters for the splendid vote given me at last Tuesday's General Election for Judge of Probate. I assure you I shall do my utmost to merit the confidence you have placed in me.

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Cold storage locker service and handling of meats from cutting to packaging, is only one phase of the service available at your creamery.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

DRAFT BOARD GIVES CORRECT NUMBERS

The state Selective Service director calls attention to the fact that serial numbers assigned to registrants by their local boards are to be considered authentic and correct even if they do not correspond to lists published in the daily papers, or according to the master list from Washington. In order to determine his order number, a registrant must know the exact number of registrations in his local board area. By searching out all numbers higher than the highest numbered registrant in his board area, any registrant can determine his order number by counting down on the master list, employing only the numbers applicable to his area.

LOSE SHEEP IN STORM

Some fifteen hundred sheep owned by raisers west of Crookston, were lost in the blizzard this week. Driven by the wind, the sheep dropped exhausted when their wool became full of snow, and smothered in heaps. Several farmers in this locality had difficulty in rescuing their sheep, turkeys and young stock, but as far as can be ascertained there were few if any losses.

Announcement was made today that no Minnesota man will be called for selective service until next year. Voluntary enlistments during the past two weeks have exceeded the quota called for under selective service.

Several persons were marooned here Monday night by the storm, and were not able to get home until the following morning.

To The Voters: To voters of The Third Commissioner District, I express my sincere appreciation for the splendid support given me at the recent election. Paul Roy, St. Hilaire, Minn.

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ROADS OPEN AGAIN

Following the blizzard Monday and Tuesday, state and county snow removal outfits have opened all the main roads in this locality. The school bus routes were cleared yesterday morning so the buses are operating as usual. Truck and auto traffic, held up both days because of poor visibility, is back to normal.

TRAGEDY ON GREAT WRECKAGE

Wreckage being washed ashore from storm-swept Lake Michigan, after one of the most severe storms in history of the Lakes, indicated two large freighters had foundered during Monday night's storm with a loss of 70 lives or more. Eight bodies washed ashore at Ludington were identified as members of the crew of the freighter William B. Davock, and others found a few miles farther south bore papers showing the men were members of the crew of the grain carrier, Anna G. Mink. It is feared the toll of lives will be considerably greater since several bodies and smaller boats known to be on Michigan and Superior are unreported.

684 Drivers Forfeit Licenses in October; All-Time Record Set

Six hundred and eighty-four motorists, the largest number forfeited in any one month in the history of the Minnesota driver's license law, lost their licenses either by suspension or outright revocation during the month of October.

The safety division of the state highway department today reported to M. A. Hoffman, state highway commissioner, the revocation of 172 driver's licenses and the suspension of 512 others during that month for such violations of state traffic laws as have been found to be major causes of traffic accidents and deaths.

Of the driver's licenses revoked, 120 were for driving while drunk, 10 for habitual intoxication and 10 for repeated offenses of speeding.

Of the 512 driver's license suspensions, 217 were for speeding, 115 for intoxication, 54 for reckless driving, 28 for disobeying stop signs or signals, 20 for excessive speeds were denied the right to take driving tests or examinations, in compliance with law.

Tom Groven left this morning for Grygve where he will join a party of friends on a deer hunt.

Dear hunters are getting set for opening of the season tomorrow. Deer are reported to be plentiful in the area east of here.

News is a bit scarce for the newsies. Practically everybody stayed home Monday and Tuesday, and since have been busy shoveling snow.

The storm Monday and Tuesday played havoc with the street lights here, at Red Lake Falls and Grand Forks. All replacement stocks of lamps were exhausted to replace broken lamps.

Priv. Robert Rosendahl, who has been stationed at Fort Crook in Nebraska, came today to spend a month with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rosendahl. His next place of service will be in the Philippine Islands.

In Appreciation
I wish to extend my thanks and appreciation to the voters of the 6th District for the fine vote and support given me in the recent election. While I was not among the successful candidates, I still appreciate the many courtesies shown me, met a great many fine people during the course of the campaign, and to these I say "Thank You."

Carsten Moad,
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The local school was closed all day Tuesday because of weather and road conditions.

E. O. Burkes of Moorhead visited here Thursday evening at the home of his mother, Mrs. B. R. Burkes.

Rev. M. L. Dahle motored Friday to Ada to present at funeral services for his aunt, Mrs. Andrew Halland.

A successful auction sale was held Friday at the Wm. Engle place in the village. Everything offered was sold at fair price.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Breneman of Harvey, N. D., were here Sunday for a short visit with relatives. They left for home just prior to breaking of the blizzard.

The county snow plow was put to work this morning opening drifts that had accumulated at different places on the village streets. By evening all streets should be open.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lindquist motored Friday with friends from Red Lake Falls to Minneapolis to use the Minn.-Minnesota game and to visit briefly with friends in the city.

Friends of Mrs. Joe King tendered her a miscellaneous shower at her home last Thursday afternoon. A very pleasant afternoon was spent by the ladies, and Mrs. King was the recipient of many daily gifts.

The Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Company is making list assessment No. 18 this month. Organized over fifty years ago, the company has had comparatively few assessments as compared to the losses it has paid.

The chimney at the Barzen elevator was blown down over with the roof during the high wind Monday. Art Hanson, manager of the elevator, stated if it had to happen, he wished it would do so at some time when he had no need for heat.

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RED CROSS DRIVE

The local drive for membership in the Red Cross will get under way as soon as weather conditions moderate. People are asked to have their dollars ready when the solicitors call. Half of each dollar paid for membership remains in the community to help in case of need at home.

Gliese-Weber
Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Gliese, who live near East Grand Forks, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Mary Lou, to Bernard Weber of Crookston. The ceremony took place Tuesday, Nov. 5, in the Lutheran parsonage in Fisher with Rev. John W. Ott officiating. Myrtle Thompson and John Blasi of Crookston were their attendants. Mr. and Mrs. Weber will live in Crookston.

FAREWELL PARTIES

Farewell parties for Isabelle Rosendahl were given Thursday night at the W. Altheim home, and Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Rolin. At the first named, Miss Rosendahl was presented a purse of money, and at the latter place she was the recipient of many gifts as tokens of remembrance. Miss Rosendahl left Saturday for Winnipeg where she will be married soon. Plans for the marriage were changed because of war conditions, and will take place at Winnipeg instead of at her home here.

DUCK HUNTERS FERGISH

More than a storm of duck hunters, lured to their favorite hunting spots in the marshes along the Mississippi southeast of the Twin Cities by the double day last Sunday, Monday, lost their lives in a terrific storm which swept that region Monday.

Their clothing soaked and frozen by the sleet which preceded the snow and extreme cold, the men were unable to reach shelter or to build warming fires. Most of the hunters were residents of the Twin Cities area.

Mrs. Emil Just, who has been with relatives over in Dakota for a few months, returned home this week.

Hunters using high-powered rifles are asked to exercise extreme caution in shooting in the territory west of here. To avoid casualties to human beings or livestock, know your location, and do not shoot toward buildings or roads.

At the county tax sale held Tuesday and yesterday at the court house, Tom Groven purchased the building in which he has operated his business the past year. Arthur Gustaf also was a bidder at the sale, purchasing an eighty acre tract in Section 4 of River Falls.

TERRIFIC BLIZZARD SWEEPS NORTHWEST

The entire Northwest from the Rockies east over the Great Lakes and extending into the deep South, began to dig out yesterday after the worst November blizzard in history of this area. The storm was even worse than that of early 1924 which traffic of all kinds was halted for days.

Nearly forty persons in the northwest are known to have lost their lives. Included in this number are many hunters, people stranded on highways, and some killed in road accidents.

Starting Monday the storm increased in volume constantly during the day and continued that night and Tuesday. Swirling snow obscured the vision of the highways. The huge drifts accumulated across the roads and in railway cuts effectively stopped all traffic. The storm seems to have been more severe in the southern part of the state, especially from the vicinity of Fargo and extending southeast. In this area communication lines were down, power lines were broken; much property damage was done; and vast amounts of suffering and loss was sustained by livestock and poultry.

In and around the Twin Cities snow to a depth of 10 feet was reported. While no great amount of snow fell in this part of the state, what did fall drifted into the brush, woods and wherever obstruction stopped it. Auto and truck traffic was halted most of Monday and all day Tuesday; train service on this line was cancelled Tuesday, and train schedules all through the storm area were disrupted. It is feared the death toll as a result of the storm, including casualties on the Great Lakes, will amount to 300 or more for the nation. Property damage directly attributed to the storm will run into many millions of dollars.

WEATHER MODERATES

The cold wave following the storm Monday and Tuesday is moving south. Temperatures of 8 to 10 below were recorded here this morning, but the mercury was about 10 above at noon. Warmer tomorrow and for the end of the week is the weather forecast.

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RECORD SNOWSTORM COSTLY TO STATE

Last week's untimely and record breaking snow storm which claimed more than a half a hundred lives in Minnesota, also took heavy toll from the state trunk highway maintenance funds.

When all the work of widening out and sanding has been completed on roads which were hurriedly broken open after the storm subsided, it is estimated its cost on state trunk highways will reach a total of \$200,000.

The highway department's snow fleet was in up-to-the-minute readiness when the storm broke and went into action immediately. Forced to withdraw during the storm's greatest density, it resumed operation in every district when visibility permitted plows to operate without undue danger to the lives and property of those in cars blocked on the roads. Because of this preparation, the department was able to accomplish the task of keeping open nearly 10,000 miles of state trunk routes within two days after the storm abated sufficiently to permit operations.

DRAFT BLANKS MAILED

Local registrants for selective military service, have begun to receive their questionnaires. Many have already been completed and returned, but there are still more to come.

Mailing of the questionnaires is notice to the Registrants that the process of classification and selection for them has begun. Since the number of voluntary enlistments exceeds the number of men to be called under the selective service act, it is not anticipated any men will be called from Pennington county in the first call, though probably not until the summer of 1941.

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MANY DEER KILLED

Local hunters have had good luck since opening of the deer season last Friday. Norman and Lester Holmes and party managed to bag four deer the first day. The Norman brothers got three, and several other residents made use of their tags. The deer taken range all the way from yearlings to bucks weighing over 250 lbs. Judging by the number of deer being carried through here on cars, hunters elsewhere also have had good luck.

SCHOOL CARNIVAL, NOV. 29

Preparations are now well under way for the benefit plays and carnival to be given at the new school gymnasium Friday evening, Nov. 29. A well rounded program consisting of two one-act plays and other features will be given to be followed by a carnival. Some new and interesting forms of entertainment have been provided for the carnival, and refreshments will be served. Albeit not completely finished, the building will be open in all departments and all who attend the entertainment will have opportunity to inspect it. Proceeds of the evening will be used for purchase of kitchen and other equipment for the new building.

HAZEL

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegard motored to Goodridge Sunday morning to visit with Mrs. Ingerborg Sigurd, Mrs. Walter Sorberg and Mrs. Harmanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nees of St. Hilaire and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Carlson were visitors at the Oscar Bergis home Sunday evening.

Friday evening supper guests at the Martin B. Elanzen home were: Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Arne, Mr. John B. Peterson, Earl and Curtis Peterson, B. Theo. Johnson and Mrs. Johnson.

Mr. John Peterson visited with Mrs. Frank Peterson last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Ole Odegard attended the W. C. T. U. Institute at Thief River Falls last Friday afternoon.

Art Anderson of Grygla, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sandberg and family visited at the Adrian home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Odegard returned home a week ago on Sunday from Brimnabe, N. Dak. after spending the past week visiting with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kenner.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson and Norman Nelson, Mrs. Martha Loken, Margaret Loken attended a shower for the infant, Lyle Theodore, of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Bjorge in Smiley Sunday afternoon.

Harvey Odegard, Donald Johnson and Robert Gustafson returned last Wednesday evening from the cities where they visited with friends and relatives.

Dorothy Sjolaqvist spent the weekend visiting with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Griestok at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peterson visited at the John Gustafson home last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Johnson and son Arvid of Thief River Falls visited Sunday at Arnt Wedal's.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson and family visited at the Anton Johnson home Saturday evening.

Misses Joyce Reese and Hazel Melin of Thief River Falls spent the weekend visiting with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Johnson, Curtis and Shirley Johnson were visitors at the Frank Peterson home Sunday. They also visited with Christ Molstad who is a patient at a hospital at Thief River Falls.

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Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Several local turkey growers lost birds during the storm last week about the number was not large in any single instance.

Miss Hulda Hilstad, teacher in the city schools at Moorhead, came today to spend Thanksgiving at her home in the village.

Several tracts of agricultural lands and some pieces of city and village property were sold last week at the tax sale held at the county seat.

Al Brink has finished a shelter for his trailer coach. In event he and Mrs. Brink decide to go south this winter, they will make the trip by train.

County road crews have been busy the past week erecting snow fences along state and county aid roads where drifts usually accumulate after a blizzard.

Alloy Skottum, who teaches in the city schools at Fargo, and Dorothy Gustaf, who teaches at Wadena, N. D., are home now to spend their Thanksgiving vacations.

A large crowd attended the Miscellaneous sale held Tuesday evening at the Norwegian church parlors. Spirited bidding marked the sale throughout, and a nest sum was realized.

Members of the local Red Cross began the annual Roll Call this week. The response thus far has been very good. Half of the funds received from memberships is kept in the local community to be used in case of need.

Earl Peterson, Clarence Hanson, Hagar Peterson, Bill Palmquist and Carl Peterson of Hazel and Harry Peterson of Thief River formed a deer hunting party north of Terrebonne for three days and brought back six deer, three of them weighing over 350 lbs.

In memory of Charles Bengtson who passed away a year ago, Nov. 20.

Loving and kind in all his ways
Upright and just to the end of his days
Sincere and kind in heart and hand
What a beautiful memory he left behind.

Sadly missed by us all.
Mrs. Nora C. Bengtson and family.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

Ed. Mornen left Tuesday to spend Thanksgiving with relatives and friends in Minneapolis.

Some cleaning was done this week on the skating rink site with view of having it ready for flooding when suitable weather conditions are.

Snow drifts have been removed from all streets within the village as they are back in about the same condition as they were before the storm last week.

The river at this point is frozen over. The ice is now of sufficient thickness so residents across the river can walk on it, thus cutting their distance to town by about one-half.

Except for drifts in the brush and woods and some places in town, all the two inch snow that fell during the blizzard last week has disappeared. Mixed with soil from plowed fields, the remaining snow is almost black. There is no snow on fields or roads in this part of the state.

In accordance with the national proclamation designating Nov. 21 as Thanksgiving Day, Minnesota and adjoining states are observing that date as a holiday this year. There will be no special observance locally, except the stores will be closed part of the day; the postoffice will observe holiday hours, and there will be no service on the rural delivery routes.

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TWO JUDGES RETURNED

Official return of the vote in the Fourteenth judicial district shows the present Judges M. A. Bratland of Thief River Falls and James E. Montague of Crookston have been re-elected. The vote was M. A. Bratland, 27,122; James E. Montague, 27,042; Oscar R. Kuntson, Warren, 17,545; A. A. Trost, Warren, 18,383.

BRAY

The following families helped Mrs. Caroline Lattimer celebrate her birthday at her home Saturday evening. The evening was spent in a social manner and at midnight a delicious lunch was served. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson, Mr. and Mrs. George Swanson and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Swanson and Dorothy, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Schalk and Yvonne, and Bill Stortson. Mr. and Mrs. Victor Scholl and family, Aug. St. Scholl and Arlo, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Scholl and Orin, Hazel, Clarence, Conrad and Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lorentson and Leonard of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Christ Kruse, Shirley and Darlene visited at the Alex Swanson home Sunday.

Mrs. Emilia Rux and Harry spent Friday evening visiting at the Rueben Rux home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Johnson and family of Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Soren Kautson and Leo of Wadena, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Scholl and Orin were Sunday guests at the J. O. Swanson home.

Allan Swanson spent Saturday until Sunday visiting at the John Magnuson home at Thief River Falls.

O. K. Sorensen and Donald visited at the Eldon Erickson home Wednesday evening.

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TEN DEER HUNTERS DIE THROUOUT STATE

With several days of the deer hunting season such as to go, the toll of lives lost in accidental shootings, deaths from over-exertion and other causes attributed to big game hunting in Minnesota now stands at ten. Two hunters from the Grygla-Gastle community, both young men, came to their deaths by gunshot wounds, one dying at a Saturday evening. The other at Thief River Falls hospital and another at Baudette.

With excellent hunting weather continuing, hunters may stay in the woods longer than usual and in greater numbers which may result in other casualties before the season ends.

BLACK RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Staunich were sighted, and Mrs. S. J. Amble of Grand Forks were callers at the A. V. Jacobson home.

Gene Sevre and sons of Thief River Falls and Oscar Mosbeck were visitors Sunday evening at the Mrs. Al. Sevre home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stavanger were guests at the Gustav Lindquist home Saturday evening.

We are sorry to hear Jackie Synnys, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Synnys, is seriously ill with pneumonia. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Rudy Landman, Mariely, Olive Mae and Roy were visitors from the A. Jacobson home Thursday evening.

A chicken dinner was served at the Mrs. Albert Sevre home Thursday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Stavanger.

Also present were Doris and George Sevre.

Mrs. N. Stark, Louise and Axel were visitors at the John Scholl and Wilbert Swanson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Haglund and Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Skarbo and daughters, Beverly and Yvonne of Grand Forks, were supper guests at the A. Jacobson home Sunday.

Myrtle Person, who is employed at the Harry Johnson farm, spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Person.

Piano lessons, 35 cents. Call on Mrs. B. M. Rolland, city.

Taken Up—A young heifer came to our place about Nov. 1. Owner may have it by proving property and paying cost of keep and advertising. Mazon Bros., Route 1, Hazel, Minn. 1p

FOR SALE—Four young Bronze turkey toms of the wide-breasted and short legged variety. Standard color. Call on Robert Janda, City. It

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SCHOOL CARNIVAL FRIDAY EVENING

The biggest event of the fall season is due to take place Friday this week when a carnival and two plays will be given at the new school gymnasium. While the building is not as yet fully completed and ready for formal dedication, workmen have been busy both day and night getting everything in readiness for this occasion. For entertainment, two 9-o-a-e-a plays by local talent will be given in addition to a musical program. Following presentation of this portion of the program, the floor will be cleared for the carnival. A variety of features such as keno games, wheel-of-fortune, candy booths, refreshment booths and many others will furnish entertainment and amusement during the evening.

The new dining room in the basement of the building will be open, and refreshments and lunch will be served therein.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to come for the carnival event, and also to see the many interesting features in connection with the new building.

FOR CARNIVAL QUEEN

Students of the high school are conducting a campaign this week for a Carnival Queen to be selected and crowned at the school carnival Friday evening. Each class has its candidates. Voting boxes have been placed in the stores so the public can participate in voting.

HAVE FAMILY RE-UNION

Dr. M. B. Dahle of Glenwood, Minn. Margaret Dahle, R. N. of Eskerfeldt, Calif., and Miss Grace Dahle, instructor in the city schools at Albert Lea were all home last week spent Thanksgiving with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle. Dr. Dahle returned Friday morning to Glenwood and Miss Grace returned Sunday to her duties. Miss Margaret has a longer vacation and will visit with her parents until next week.

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MAKES FINAL PAYMENT

Depositors of the defunct First State Bank of Red Lake Falls which closed October 27, 1932, were paid their eleventh and final dividend last week. The final payment was \$3.49 per cent, making the total returned 68.49 per cent. L. E. Hooley of Red Lake Falls had charge of liquidation of this bank as well as the Merchants State Bank of St. Hilaire which closed the same year.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of the village council held at the council room Monday, Nov. 26. All members present. On motion the following bills were allowed:

Oscar Haugse, dance permits	\$18.00
Norman Jensen, labor on walks	3.15
Ed. Engle, 3 yds. gravel	8.00
B. Rosenbalt, labor on walks	8.15
M. H. Jackson, groceries village	11.94
M. H. Jackson, dog for village	2.85
Wm. Engle, labor and materials	8.60
Nor. States Pr. Co., lights	37.50

Clerks and judges for election were appointed as follows: O. H. W. Corbett, C. Schmitt, E. Johnson and M. Hallstrom.

There being no further business, meeting adjourned.

Elmer Johnson, Clerk.
O. Gustaf, Pres.

BLACK RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Brink, Mr. and Mrs. V. Brink, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter, and Mrs. Harry Winter, and Mrs. Vern Lindquist were guests Sunday at the Gunner Lindquist home.

Midred and Evelyn Van der Streek and Durlyn Robinson visited Sunday at the John Stavenhagen home.

Mrs. Albert Serre and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry O'Brien were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hansen.

Mrs. Chr. Kruse, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Kruse and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. Sandholm and son, Billy, Larry Olson and Jack Kruse visited Thursday at the Wm. Kruse home.

Mr. and Mrs. Melcher Erickson and family were guests at the John Norman farm home Thanksgiving day.

The Misses Laura, Olive and Vera Almqvist of Grand Forks spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jens Almqvist.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Rosette and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Landmann and family visited Sunday at the Lars Rosette home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Jacobson were guests Thursday evening at the home of his parents, the Olive Almqvist left Sunday for Moorhead to enter the Moorhead State Teacher's College.

N. E. Bebe and George Serre of St. Hilaire were callers at the Mrs. Albert Serre home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Strander, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Bebe, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Brink, Mr. Geo. Bakko and Art Jacobson motored Thanksgiving day to Glenwood and were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweet.

Mr. and Mrs. John Knutson, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Carlson and Jackie Lesalle of Thief River Falls visited Sunday at the Carl Surmo home.

Dr. Don Kalinowski and Mrs. Larry Harder visited Sunday at the Ed. Olson home.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief, News Concerning People You Know

Light snows and cooler weather is predicted for this section during last half of the week.

There are only 22 shopping days before Christmas. The postal department makes its usual appeal for early mailing.

Those who enjoy reading literary books are reminded the afternoon is open Wednesday following and on Saturdays evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bengtson of Montana came recently for a visit at the home of his mother, Mrs. Chas. Bengtson, at her farm home northwest of the village.

The first sub-zero weather for this fall came this week. As everyone in the village has put in a good supply of fuel, the cold weather is causing no inconvenience.

Dave Strom and family are moving this week from the former Carl Johnson house on Minnesota avenue to rooms on second floor of the Henry Sande residence on Water street.

Ray Young and family of Bagley, and Robert Collins are making plans to leave in the near future for Seattle, Wash., with expectation of finding employment in the coast country.

Annual meeting of the N. L. Ladies' Aid will be held at the church parlors Friday, Dec. 6. Lunch will be served by a group of ladies. All members are urged to attend. Everybody welcome.

The early Thanksgiving was pleasant in this section as weather was mild and no snow covered the ground. Many family parties and other gatherings were held in the community.

Final day for payment of light and power bills without penalty, is today. Those who have overlooked their little monthly task can "get under the wire" by coming in before 5:30 Friday.

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DRAFT EVASION PROBE

A federal grand jury in session at St. Paul is considering evidence against alleged Minnesota draft evaders who have willfully or negligently failed to register under provision of the selective service act. Under investigation also are a number of cases where draftees have failed to return their questionnaires within the five day period specified.

Rosenbald-Gibbs

Miss Isabel Rosenbald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rosenbald of this village became the bride of Frank S. Gibbs, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Gibbs of Winthrop at a ceremony which took place Saturday, Nov. 23 at 4 o'clock at St. Michael's and All Angels' Church at Winthrop. Present at the ceremony were Ben Rosenbald and Robert Rosenbald of this village, father and brother, respectively, of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs will make their home at Winthrop. Friends here will join in congratulating the newlyweds.

SILVER ANNIVERSARY

Relatives of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hansen gathered at their home Sunday afternoon to help them celebrate their silver wedding anniversary. The afternoon was spent in visiting and commencing a short and appropriate program was given. At close of the afternoon luncheon was served, and Mr. and Mrs. Hansen were presented a purse of silver as a token of remembrance.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Haugen and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hansen and Hazel, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roy and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Hanson, Edwin Roy, and Mrs. Hansen, the honor guests.

DEER SEASON CLOSED

The big game hunting season in Minnesota closed Monday after being open eleven days. During that period ten hunters lost their lives as result of accidental shootings and other accidental causes.

Thousands of deer were bagged this season, and it has been a common sight here since opening of the season to see cars go thru loaded with one or more deer. Hunters in western part of this county, a section that had been closed to hunting for years, had more than their share of success.

DR. SPOFFORD
OPHTHELMIST

Will be at
Hotel Lincoln, Red Lake Falls,
Tuesday, Dec. 3, afternoon.

VILLAGE ELECTION TUESDAY, DEC. 3D

The annual village election will be held next Tuesday, Dec. 3 between the hours of 9:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M., at the council room in the postoffice building. To be elected this year will be one councilman for 3 years, a village clerk for two years, a treasurer for two years, a Justice of the Peace for two years and one for one year, a constable for two years.

MAY EXTEND SERVICE

Members of the postoffice building are expected to discuss the possibility of securing rural electric service for farmers in the vicinity of River Valley who will be held at the River Valley hall next Monday evening, December 2, at 8 P. M. Farmers in Deer Park, Highland, Mayfield, Star, and Hickory townships are expected to attend this meeting. E. F. Kid, superintendent of the Red Lake Company Electric Cooperative Association and S. E. Hunt, president of the Association, and Lester Lund, county agent of Pennington county will attend this meeting to furnish information regarding possible rural electric service in that town was spent in visiting and commencing a short and appropriate program was given.

The Red Lake Co. Electric Cooperative Association offers possibilities of including additional communities in the association providing there is sufficient interest in communities that are not too distant located from the original projects.

ATTEND FATHER'S FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Grovum noticed Friday morning to Grygla to be present at the funeral service for Ole C. Grovum, father of Tom Grovum who died the previous Tuesday after suffering a stroke. The service was held at one o'clock at the Grovum home near Grygla, and at 2 o'clock at the St. Peter church in that community. Mr. Grovum was born in Telemark, Norway, June 9, 1867 and was 83 years and 6 months of age.

He is survived by his wife, five sons and one daughter: Tom of this village; Mrs. Simon Grovum of Moorhead; Palmer, son of Gilbert of Gatzke, and Alexander and Gilmer of Finland, Mich.

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Miss Anna Alberg of Thief
River Falls and Mrs. Ole De-
gard celebrated Gladys Alberg
her birthday anniversary Monday.

Paul Gilbertson left last
Wednesday for Minneapolis, Minn.
where he will be employed at
Carl Erickson's.

The teacher and pupils en-
joyed a Thanksgiving costume
party at the school Wednesday
afternoon. The afternoon was
spent playing contests and
games and a short program was
given.

Carl Anton Sandberg and
family were Thanksgiving
supper guests at the Henry
Ness home near St. Hilaire.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Peterson,
Olegard and family, Mrs. Adeline
Kot of Thief River Falls, and
Mrs. Walter Olegard were
Thanksgiving dinner guests at
the Ole Olegard home in Thief
River Falls.

Miss Doris Johnson, who is
employed at the Arnt Wedin
home spent Thanksgiving vis-
iting with her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Peter Johnson home at
Thief River Falls.

Betty Mae Urdahl and Dor-
othy Sjovold visited with
Betty Jane Bremseth Saturday
afternoon.

Mrs. Adrian Anderson and
Mrs. Herman Sandberg visited
with Mrs. Carl Alberg last
Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Finstad
visited at the Ole Olegard
home last Monday evening.

Moss Kolastrand of River
Valley who has been staying at
the Bremseth home during his
hunting season, returned to his
home on Saturday. He was
proud to take a fine buck home
with him.

The Sewing Club met at the
Charles Johnson home last
Tuesday afternoon.

Dinner guests Thanksgiving
day at the Ole Olegard home
were Mrs. Signe Evenson,
Gunhild and Martin Evenson
of Kratta.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Vik of
Thief River Falls visited Sun-
day afternoon at the Adrian
Anderson home.

Mr. Anton Peterson, Hjalmer
Peterson and Carl Kratts left
last Wednesday to spend until
Monday at Fort Francis, On-
tario, Canada to visit at the
Charles Johnson home.

Mrs. Ole Olegard, and Ole
Peterson visited with Mrs.
Shirley at the Ole Olegard
home at Thief River Falls Sat-
urday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Raun,
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Raun,
and infant son of Rosewood
Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Yorkston
and family visited Sunday at
the Carl Alberg home.

**Forewell Party for Oliver
Erickson**
Oliver Erickson was honor
guest at the Gilbert Bremseth
home last Monday evening.
The occasion being a forewell
party given by the junior class
of St. Hilaire high school.

Those present were the honor
guest, Raymond Haugen, Elus
Nobbs, George Stephens, Gladys
Nelson, Elaine Paars, and
Bertha Larson, Vivian Olson,
Pearl Nelson, Gladys Bremseth
and Private Robert Rosenblad
of Crook, Nebraska. The even-
ing was spent in playing games.

A delicious lunch was served by
the junior class and Mrs. Brem-
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sented with a gift of money

from the class.

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Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schukle
and Mrs. and Mrs. George
Schukle and daughter of Thief
River Falls were Sunday guests
at the Emil Larson home.

Saturday evening visitors at
the Alex Swanson home were
Mr. and Mrs. Christ Kruse,
Shirley and Dan, and Mrs.
Gust Peterson and Mariel,
Dana Swanson, Jean and Ro-
bert Peterson, and Virgil and Ber-
vory Schale.

Mr. and Mrs. John Magnuson
of Thief River Falls were
visiting at the George Swanson
home. Margaret Swanson ac-
companied them home to spend
the week-end and Glen Mag-
nuson remained at the Swanson
home for the week-end to visit
with Allan.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Scholten
and Clarence Swanson left
Wednesday for Fairmont,
Minn. where they will visit
Mrs. Scholten's father,
Henry Schneider and sister,
Mrs. Mary Schneider.

Saturday evening visitors at
the Ruben Rux home were
Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Peterson,
Mrs. and Mrs. Ruten, Mrs. Ole
Reynolds, Nels and Harry.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Erick-
son of Thief River Falls were
visiting at the Alex Swanson
home where they attended a
wedding of Mrs. Erickson's
daughter.

Russel and Ralph Rux spent
their Thanksgiving vacation at
the Nick Moeckel home in Fols
Centre.

Sunday visitors at the S. N.
Swanson home were Mr. and
Mrs. Herman Witt and Grace
Wyllie, George and Edna Witt,
and Mrs. Danne and
Marcella Laugesen of Rose-
wood.

Rev. and Roy Wiberg of
Thief River Falls were Sunday
visitors at the Alex Swanson
home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bur-
stad of Thief River Falls were
visiting at the Eben Conklin
home.

Emily Hegstad of Benson ar-
rived Wednesday and joined her
mother and mother to be spent
Thursday where they spent
Thanksgiving at the T. H.
Hegstad home.

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114 FHA LOANS ARE PLACED IN COUNTY SINCE EARLY 1935

A total of 114 families in Pen-
nington county have received mort-
gage loans on either the new or
old home ownership under the Na-
tional Housing Act in the pen-
nington county since June 30th of
this year. It was announced to-
day by Daniel J. Poppetta, Fed-
eral Housing Administrator and dis-
trict director for Minnesota, North
and South Dakota.

Included in this total were 97
property improvement loans in-
cluding 714 amounting to \$24,467.51
and 17 home mortgages ac-
cepted for insurance by FHA
amounting to \$85,100.00.

"This volume of small repairs
and improvements is very encourag-
ing," Mr. Poppetta stated. "These
loans are being made available to
homeowners at the same time as
they are meeting their mortgage obli-
gations in the most perfect way."

FHA has on hand five homes in
the county. These homes are in
North and South Dakota which
have been acquired by the
FHA under the National Housing Act.

Small home mortgages accepted
for insurance by the Federal Home
Loan Bank Board in the county are
about 1.5 per cent of the total
amount of the loans.

Population of U. S. and Possessions Announced

The census bureau in Washing-
ton has announced that the popu-
lation of the United States, its
territories and possessions at 1930
was 122,922,000.

This represented an increase of
11,222,000 or 9.9 per cent over the
1920 census, on the basis of present
population figures.

The population in the territories

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JUNIOR CLASS PLAY FRIDAY, DEC 13TH

The annual Junior Class play, the biggest pre-holiday event at the school, will take place Friday evening, December 13 in the new school gymnasium. The play entitled "Sunbonnet Lane" of Seymour Lane by Wilbur Brann, is a gay and modern comedy in three acts. Scene of the play is a farmhouse near a remote village in Indiana.

This will be the first school play presented in the new gymnasium-auditorium with its fine stage and splendid new stage settings. Knowing is the cast for the play:

Jane Jasper (Sunbonnet Lane)
Vivian Olson
Miranda Jasper, her aunt
Dorothy Larson
Grace Jasper, Miranda's lovely young sister
Pearl Nelson
Ollie Lankenshaw
Teacher
Adeline Peterson
Mrs. Miller, who has a duty to perform
Elsie Pearson
Crystal Chetti, Jane's cousin from the city
Carol Breneman
Schuyler Fall, who comes to visit
Crystal Raymond Haugan
Toby Simpkins, who loves to play pranks
Crew Stephens
Jason Gouch, who has a permanent grouse
Elsie Fisher
Douglas Smith, a young hitchhiker
Harian Marsh, a gentleman
Gloria Drees
The play is full of humorous incidents, and all who see it are assured of an evening of solid enjoyment.

Roland Johnson
Last Thursday at Thief River Falls occurred the marriage of Mrs. Elsie Roland and Elmer Johnson, both well known local residents. After a short week-end trip to points in North Dakota they have returned here and are now settled in their home on north Water street. Friends in the community will join in extending congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Johnson.

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OSLO COMING FRIDAY
Local basketball fans will have their first opportunity Friday evening this week to witness games on the fine floor of the new school gymnasium. The Oslo high school first and second teams will be here to encounter the first and second St. Hilaire teams. The first game is scheduled to start at 7:15, and the main contest will start at 8:30. Sufficient seating room will be provided for the large crowd expected for the opening event.

SCHOOL CARNAVAL A GREAT SUCCESS

The school carnival last Friday night, which also marked informal opening of the new auditorium-gymnasium, proved a great success from every standpoint. Despite the cold weather, several hundreds of people from the village, surrounding country and nearby towns were present.

The Women's Club and the B. M. Club, who sponsored the event, each contributed to the program and worked faithfully to make the affair a success.

An amusing one act play was given by members of the first named club, followed by a hilarious skit entitled "Treasurer's Report" by the B. M. Club. The plays, as well as the band concert and other musical numbers were over well and put the crowd in right mood to enjoy the carnival.

After the floor was cleared, various features of many varieties were put up which enjoyed until midnight. The amusement dining room, in charge of Women's Club members, was a busy place as it served about 300 lunches. Everyone found something of interest as was evidenced by the fact that the crowd did not leave until after midnight.

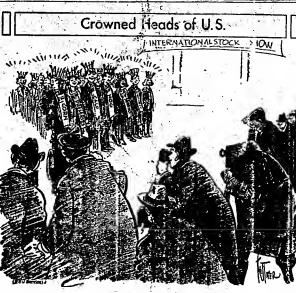
Total receipts of the evening were \$250.00, much more than was at first anticipated, which will be used for purchase of equipment for the school dining room and kitchen and for other uses upon which the sponsors decide.

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE
The high school basketball team has arranged the following schedule for the 1940-41 season:

Dec. 6—Oslo, here.
Dec. 12—Red Lake Falls, there.
Dec. 17—Okie, here.
Jan. 1—Alumni, here.
Jan. 10—Plummer, there.
Jan. 14—Red Lake Falls, here.
Jan. 17—Oslo, there.
Jan. 21—Middle River, here.
Jan. 24—Alvarado, here.
Jan. 31—Goodridge, here.
Feb. 4—Fisher, here.
Feb. 14—Middle River, here.
Feb. 18—Goodridge, there.
Feb. 21—Plummer, here.
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Mar. 4—Okie, there.
Mar. 28—Alvarado, there.

STORM BRINGS BOAT
LANSINGTON TO SURFACE
Ortonville—Flooded from the ice on the surface of Big Stone Lake some time after the Armistice Day blizzard was an anchor weighing nearly 100 pounds. Jim Davidson, Jr., Baanley farmer, discovered the anchor believed to be that of an early-day craft which plied the waters. By what freakish intuition the heavy metal anchor buried in the mud for years was raised from its resting place with chain attached, it, and probably will remain, a secret of the storm.

COW IMPRISONED FOR WEEK IN SNOW DRIFT
Spokane—On the Sunday following the November blizzard, a cow which had wandered away from the Andrew Ollars farm in Rainier during the storm, was found by a group of hunters from Confrey, buried completely in a drift of snow. The hunters proceeded to the place of the beast protruding from the snow and proceeded to investigate. Removed from the drift, the cow was found to be alive and well, although a little weak from lack of food and water.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Only sixteen shopping days remain before Christmas. Miss Adrienne Plamann left Sunday to visit relatives at Minneapolis and Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Young and family of Bagley are guests at the Robert Collins home.

Phil Ewing returned yesterday from Minneapolis where he had examination for a barber's license.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fricker and family were down Friday night from Holt to attend the school carnival, and to visit briefly with Mr. Fricker's father, Mike Fricker.

Ben Iverson, Walter Olson, Ben Rosendahl and Norman Holmes, who have been employed on the local school project, have been transferred to a WPA sewer project at Red Lake Falls.

The Women's Club will hold its annual Christmas Party and Snowglobe next Thursday evening, Dec. 12, at the Club rooms. The usual gifts will be exchanged. Roll call will consist of "Miscellaneous Facts."

After spending two weeks here with her parents, Miss Margaret Dahle, R. N., left Tuesday evening for brief visits in the Twin Cities before leaving for Bakersfield, Calif., to resume her duties in a large hospital in that city.

The Red Lake Falls Gazette of last week chronicled the death of Mrs. Claus Hinrichs of that city. Mrs. Hinrichs, who was 70 years of age, was one of the pioneers of Red Lake county, and was well known to many residents of this community.

Clarence Orr of Dayton, N. D., former owner of the local telephone exchange, was here yesterday greeting old friends while enroute home following a trip to his former home at Red Lake Falls. Mr. Orr operates a moving picture theatre in addition to a farm machine business at Dayton.

Piano lessons, 85 cents. Call on Mrs. M. K. Rolland, city, 17

Math Barzen Co., Inc.
A. Hanson, Manager
St. Hilaire, Minn.

WHIST GAME DEC. 11

At a meeting of the B. M. Club held Monday night, it was decided to have another series of whist games the coming winter. The first game will be held next Wednesday evening, Dec. 11, at which time teams will be chosen to compete during the series. The same plan used in former years, will prevail. Everyone in the community is cordially invited to attend. The tournament will be held at the club rooms.

SCHOOL PROCEEDINGS

Board of Education of School District 102, held its regular meeting at the high school building on Nov. 20, 1940 and was called to order by the chairman, Mrs. Eleanor Hanson, at 8 P. M. All members present.

Minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved as read.

Motion was made and seconded that the following bills be allowed and paid:

M. A. Highland, freight	\$1.12
O. Gustad, printing	1.00
Ins. premium, elec. supplies	10.65
Cities Service Oil Co.	13.50
Gas and oil houses	35.50
Mrs. Carl Peterson, Clearing House, magazine sub.	3.00
Boarding plumber	4.00
Garden Valley Tel. Co., rent and tolls	3.49
M. H. Jackson, janitor	1.00
John A. Hanson, play ed.	2.50
Horne Lamm Co., metal	38.77
lath, molding	1.00
Minn. Elec. Welding Co., repairs	15.38
American Radiator Co., plumbing supplies	9.37
Wm. Green, iron work	8.84
Service Garage	3.90
N. W. Bell Tel. Co., WPA tolls	27.44
Thief River Falls Grocery Co., Jan. supplies	3.00
C. M. Van Derve, stoves	7.50
Ed. Engbl, bus repairs	1.00
M. R. Graham, office expenses	3.49

Motion carried.

Motion was made and seconded that the salary of the janitor be set at \$30 per month effective from Dec. 1, 1940.

Motion carried.

Motion was made and seconded that the clerk be instructed to advertise for 200 cords of wood for the coming season.

Motion carried.

No further business motion for adjournment carried.

H. L. HOLMES, Clerk.

Mrs. Eleanor Hanson, Chairman.

School children, under direction of Supr. Graham, conducted the annual sale of Christmas Seals here last week.

VILLAGE ELECTION WAS QUIET AFFAIR

Only fifty-three votes were cast Tuesday in the annual village election. Only two candidates filed so there was no special contest which accounts for the light vote. Mike Highland was elected councilman for three years to succeed himself. Other voters, Arthur Hanson, Elmer Johnson and Ollie Larson were re-elected as village clerk, treasurer, assessor and constable, respectively. The usual scattered vote of from one to five votes was given a score of residents for the position of President of the Peace. Annual financial statement of the village, as presented to the council Monday night, will be published in an early issue.

RED CROSS NOTES

St. Hilaire and surrounding community are preparing to take part in this year's Red Cross Roll Call. Sixty citizens were enrolled in the Roll Call. The realized is retained in our branch chapter, the other half is to be used to meet the growing responsibility caused by the needs of our national defense and the increasing program of the Red Cross is called to carry. Every one of you American who answered the Roll Call have helped make it possible to meet these traditional responsibilities. Thanks from the committee. If you were not asked to join, it was unintentional. Please let us know and we will enroll you at once. We also have yarn on hand for knitting sweaters, and would be glad to hear from anyone who is willing to knit.

G. N. LAYING NEW STEEL

A track laying crew has been here for over a week laying new steel north and south of the village. The new steel is considerably heavier than the old which has given many years of service in this line of the Great Northern.

One Trick Alarm

It's the only alarm in the town. In Louis county, Missouri, deputy sheriff. He says they became a nuisance by setting off an electric eye burglar alarm in a grocery store, waking the neighbors and calling out to false alarms "six and seven times a week."

DANCE

at the
FRONTIER PAVILION
ST. HILAIRE
Saturday, Dec. 7
Music by
Jolly Assembly and
Orchestra
Old Time and Modern
Music

Service for You

Cold storage locker service and handling of meats from cutting to packaging, is only one phase of the service available at your creamery.

We handle flour, feeds, table and stock salt, cheese, feed corn and other products. Give your creamery first consideration when in the market for these items. You are helping yourself when you boast and patronize the creamery.

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AT THE
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Ev. Mission Covenant Church,
Rev. N. Wiberg, Pastor
410 S. 1st St. S. P. Ave.

7. H. Falls, Home 1949-8
Wednesday afternoons, 8
o'clock instruction.

Sunday, Dec. 28, 10 A. M.
united service. "Old Writings
for New Times." No evening
service.

Notice: Bible school mem-
bers. If you are in the church
mas festival program be sure
to present the next three
Sundays. We must prepare for
the program by rehearsal. If it
is to be a success. Bring your
lunches next Sunday. Further
announcements next Sunday
about the other Sundays.

Thursday, Dec. 28, 3 P. M.
Fellowship service at the Al-
ford Hallstrom home.

Christmas service, Dec. 25th,
10:30 A. M.

Covenant Chapel, Bible school
Sunday forenoon.

Augustana Lutheran Church
H. A. Larson, Pastor

Black River Sunday 10:30 a.m.
Sunday school, 2:30 p.m. Service,
Friday, Dec. 13, 8 o'clock
at the church, Annual meeting
Friday, Sunday, 10:30 a.m. Com-
munion service 10:30 a.m. Com-
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Thursday, 8:00 p.m. Bible study
and prayer.

Thursday, Dec. 12, 8:00 p.m.
Luther League at Mr. and Mrs.
C. Swanson. Annual meeting
Clara, Hays, Friday, 8:00 p.m.
Luther League at the church.

Sunday 10:30 a.m. Sunday
school, 11:00 a.m. Communion
Service.

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M. L. Dahl, Pastor

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HAZEL

Mrs. Maria Bartlett and a
daughter, Irene Bartlett of
Crookston visited at the Peto
house and the Odegaard home
Wednesday afternoon.

Visitors at the Martha Loh-
ken on Thursday evening were
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rud and
daughters Betty Ann and Carol
and Marie Biskay.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rose,
Joyce and Stanley Rose were
Thursday evening visitors at
the Martin K. Ellingson home.

Mr. Oscar Sealand of Thief
River Falls called at the Ode-
gaard and other friends at
Hazel last Tuesday.

Mrs. Pete Oundard and Mrs.
Pete Nelson visited with Mrs.
Selmer Urdahl last Friday af-
ternoon.

Donald Johnson and Robert
Gundstad visited Sunday with
Harvey Odegaard.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Aas and
son Richard of Gully, Mr. and
Mrs. Martin Odegaard, Mr. and
Mrs. Melvin Odegaard, Douglas
and Mrs. Odegaard, Douglas
Gratton, N. Dak. Mr. and Mrs.
Walter Odegaard, Mr. and Mrs.
Oscar Odegaard and children
were Sunday dinner guests at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ole
Odegaard.

Mrs. Helmer Berg visited with
Mrs. Carl Albert last Wed-
nesday afternoon.

Mrs. Pete Oundard honored
her friends by giving a
bridal shower at her home
last Tuesday afternoon. Those
present were: Mrs. Odegaard
and guest, Madeline Arnt
ed, Valter Odegaard, Paul
and Mrs. Odegaard, Douglas
and Mrs. Odegaard, Douglas
Gratton, Misses Anna Albert,
Phoebe and Mayme Anderson,
Alice Severen. She was pre-
sented with a set of dishes and
other gifts. Lunch was served
by self-invited guests.

Miss Doris Johnson visited
with Mrs. Ole Odegaard Friday
evening.

Sunday visitors at Carl Al-
bert's home were Mr. and Mrs.
Melvin Torkelson and family,
Betty Mae Urdahl and Gou-
ard visiting relatives.

Mrs. and Mrs. Gilbert Bren-
sen visited Friday at the For-
geson home at Otter.

Mrs. Adrian Anderson, May-
nard Anderson and Carol Ann
Sandberg visited at the Peto
Guarard home Sunday after-
noon.

Eva Laurel infant daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Urdahl
was baptized Sunday afternoon
by Rev. M. L. Dahl of St. Hilaire.
Sponsors were Mr. and Mrs.
Neil Nelson, Norman Nelson
and Gladys Albert.

Miss Alice Ann Anderson vi-
sited at the Adrian Anderson
home last Tuesday evening.

ST. HILAIRE SPECIATOR, ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

Monday evening visitors at
the home of Mrs. Albert were
Mrs. Carl Elmstad and family,
and Mrs. Nils Nelson
and family, Mrs. Ed Nelson
and Anna Albert.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peterson
visited Friday afternoon at the
Andrew Hanson home at Thief
River.

Confirmation was held at the
St. Paul church Sunday morn-
ing. Those confirmed were:
Betty Brennaeth, Stanley Sene,
Jack Wagner and some from
the Chevrolet church.

Many people from this com-
munity attended the Carnival
at the new school gymnasium
last Friday evening at St. Hilaire.

BRAY

The Bray and Pulk Centre
4th week met at the Brayfield
school last Thursday evening.
The following program was
given: Song by Harlene Kruse,
Reading by Otto Schollin, Song
by Doris Swanson, Scripture
Reading and Virginia Scholz,
Reading by Norman Schollin,
Prayer by Walter Schollin,
Closing a talk by Lester Lund,
the County Agent. Lunch was
served in closing the meet-
ing.

The following attended a din-
ner party at the Melcher Stei-
son home Sunday: August
Schollin, Arlo, and Elma, Mr. and
Mrs. Arroy Schollin and Mrs.
Ann, Echo, George and Thule
Norman, Carl Bolman and
Mamie Marie, of St. Hilaire.

Sunday guests at the Reuben
Lohken home were Mr. and Mrs.
Ed, Odegaard, Gilbert, Irene
and Harry, Mr. and Mrs. An-
drew, Odegaard, Mr. and Mrs. El-
mer Lux and daughter, Mr. and
Mrs. Emil Lux and family of
Clarks, Odegaard and relatives and
Arnold Larson of Thief
River.

Mr. and Mrs. Torkel Ole and
family of Steiner were Sunday
guests at the John Bjorklund
home.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lindquist
and daughter, visited Thursday
for Minneapolis and St. Peter
where they will spend two
weeks visiting relatives and
friends.

Thyren of Hald called
at the J. O. Swanson home
Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Schollin
and Clarence Swanson returned
home last Monday evening after
a trip to Fairmont,
Minn.

Mrs. Harry Hawkins and
family were Sunday evening
visitors at the Eldon Erickson
home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Barnett
and family were Thursday eve-
ning visitors at the Emil Lar-
son home.

George Lindquist visited at
the Odegaard home Sunday
evening.

Gertrude Walberg of Thief
River Falls spent the week-end
visiting at the N. P. Swanson
home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Schollin
and family were Sunday guests
at the Christ Kruse home at
Thief River Falls. Mr. and Mrs.
Fred Lux and Henry visited at
the Reuben Lohken home Sunday
evening.

Clarence, Donald, Grace and
Glen Sever and Raymond Or-
sted visited at the Mrs. Willie
Severe home at St. Hilaire Sun-
day evening.

Must Tag Waterfowl in
Order to Retain Birds
20 Days after Season

The department of conservation
warned hunters that waterfowl
must be tagged before they may
be retained until 20 days after the
close of the season as provided by
federal regulations.

At the close of the season Novem-
ber 29, tags must be requested of
the wildlife service by Dec. 19,
through December 4. Property
tagged ducks may be possessed
until 20 days after the close of
the season. The last day for this po-
ssession is December 18.

Hunters possessing deer or up-
per game must also have their
game tagged. This may be retain-
ed, but not until April 15, 1941.

Nov. 28-Dec. 1-12
BIRDS WANTED

Birds will be received at the office
of the U. S. Fish and Wildlife
Dept., 100 S. 1st St., Hilaire, Minn.,
from Dec. 1 to Dec. 12. The birds
must be of the species of wild
game birds, popular and wood
cock, quail, and other game birds.
Accepted in lots of 10 or more,
except quail, which may be ac-
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FIRE DEPARTMENT

STARTS CAMPAIGN

TO GET INHALATOR

A subscription campaign for the
purchase of a new H-H inhalator,
a portable machine used for the
resuscitation of victims of
carbon monoxide poisoning,
drowning, gas asphyxiation, elec-
tric shock, pneumonia, whooping
cough and other ailments, is being
conducted by the fire depart-
ment, which is now working
toward the goal of securing a
machine in the near future to
replace the one now in use.

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OPERAETTA WILL BE PRESENTED DEC. 19

The Christmas operaetta, presented by all pupils in the first six grades, will be given in the St. Hilaire school gymnasium Thursday, Dec. 19, at 8 o'clock. The operaetta, "Susanna's Christmas Auction" is based on an old French legend of a stubborn little girl, Susanna, (Barbara Kratz) who thwarts her father and mother (Hanson Prestry and Patricia Jackson). Because of her disobedience, her parents plan an auction sale at which all her toys are to be sold. Among Susanna's possessions is a dilapidated old "Joehanne" which Susanna cannot bear to see sold. Susanna begs forgiveness and promises to be a model child thereafter.

Santa (James Roy) and Mrs. Santa (Joseph Kruse) plus Santa's helpers, Ponto (John Winter) Aunt Julia (Evelyn Bodman) Uncle Felix (Wesley Olson) and all the cast will help to make the story. The carvers, Toy Policemen and Bears furnish a music background.

WILL IMPROVE T. H. NO. 32
State highway department crews have worked through here lately taking care to get T. H. No. 32 in preparation for an extensive improvement program to be started next spring. According to the surveys made, the road will be straightened at different places and will be built wider than the present grade.

The ice rink north of the Spectator office received its first flood this season a few days ago. With two or three more floodings, the rink will be ready for use during the holidays.

FOR SALE — Circulating heater for wood or coal. Good as new. Will sell at less than half original cost. If interested, call at the postoffice. 11c

WEEKLY MARKETS	
Wheat	\$72
Durum	60
Rye	30
Malt Barley	35
Feed Barley	29
Oats	25
Flax	L44

Money Savings Bargains!

Prices quoted are for cash, and are good until Tuesday night.

CRISCO	3 lb. can	47c
SALAD DRESSING, quart jar		19c
MUSTARD, Our Family, quart		12c
PORK CHOPS, per lb.		15c
PORK SAUSAGE, per lb.		15c
SHERRED WALNUTS, half lb.		25c
CHERRY CHOCOLATES	1 lb. box	19c
CALUMET BAKING POWDER	1 lb. can	15c
MACARONI or SPAGHETTI	5 lbs. 25c	
TOMATOES	3 cans for	23c
PEAS	3 cans for	23c
OXDOL, large pkg.		19c
P. & G. SOAP	10 bars for	31c
BROOMS, 5 ft.		23c
BRIDGE CLUB COFFEE, reg. 25c	2 lbs.	39c

Our regular price on old time mix candy is 3 lbs. for 25 cents, peanuts 10 cents. Fancy mixed nuts are 2 lbs. for 85c. Brazil, 16 cents a pound.

We carry a good assortment of tree trimmings, Christmas cards, candies, apples, sales, fancy wrapping paper and cord. Our line of shirts, ties and hosiery will make very suitable gifts.

M. H. JACKSON
GENERAL MERCHANDISE
St. Hilaire, Minn.

LEAVE FOR WASHINGTON
Mrs. Robert Collins and son, James, Mrs. Raymond Young and son, left yesterday for Grand Forks for Bramorah, Wash., where they plan to make their future homes. Mr. Collins, accompanied by Mr. Young and daughter, Shirley, will leave the latter part of this week by car after closing up their affairs here. Friends in this community wish them all happiness and success in their new homes.

THOS. J. SUMPTER DIES
Thos. J. Sumpter, age 76, long-time resident of this community, died Friday at his home at Thief River Falls following a stroke.

Mr. Sumpter and family moved here from Iowa over thirty years ago, and he was engaged in the real estate business in St. Hilaire for a few years before moving to a farm south of Hazel. Upon retirement from farming, he has resided at Thief River Falls. Funeral rites were held Monday in that city, and interment took place in the family plot in St. Hilaire cemetery.

Mr. Sumpter is survived by his wife, five daughters and four sons. The children are Mrs. Harry Schave, Mrs. Emma Smith and Mrs. L. W. Mills of Grand Forks; Mrs. Wm. Hutchins of St. Paul; Mrs. Carl Johnson and Charles Sumpter of Flint, Mich.; Roy of Thief River Falls; Pearl of Minneapolis; and Myron of Los Angeles, Calif.

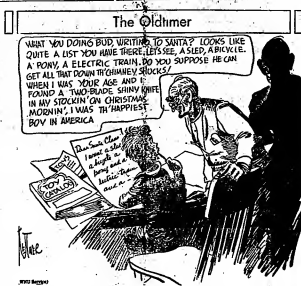
WHIST MEETING HELD

First session of the whist tournament for this winter was held at the club rooms last night. Two teams, the Red and White, were selected. The former was victorious for the opening meeting, and were guests of the White team at lunch. It was agreed to have the second meeting next Wednesday night, December 18.

Private Robert Rosenblatt left this week, after spending a month at home, enroute to the Philippines Islands.

California's Meadows — The famous noted actor of California is seldom found farther inland than 20 miles from the coast. They are estimated to be 3,000 to 5,000 years old.

Piano lessons, 35 cents. Call on Mrs. R. M. Rolland, city. 17



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week. Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

A heavy snow fell Tuesday in the vicinity of Detroit Lakes and points south.

There are only ten shopping until Christmas. If you shopping and mailing early for best results.

Mrs. W. J. Janda left Monday to attend a four-day turkey show being held at Alexandria. She entered birds in the crowd turkey division of the show.

Supt. Cash Carrier of the Northern States Power Company plant at Red Lake Falls was here this morning to read electric meters for the current month.

This morning was the coldest recorded here this winter with the mercury showing better than 20 below zero. No relief is promised until latter part of the week.

Mrs. M. Highland has purchased the Robert Collins house on Water street, which formerly was owned by her parents, and plans to take the property in condition for rental purposes.

The Junior Class play "Sunbonnet Jane of Sycamore Lane," a polkaing three-act comedy, will be presented at the new school gymnasium tomorrow (Friday) evening. Don't miss seeing.

Edwin Wings of Sioux City, Iowa, now a senior at St. Olaf College, Northfield, was among the students who will be listed in the forth-coming Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges. He is a grandson of Mrs. O. A. Holmes of this village.

Members of the volley ball group tendered Mrs. Robert Collins a party Tuesday night at the Pheasant home on the eve of her departure for Washington. She was presented several gifts, tokens of remembrance by the group, and also received that afternoon, a travelling bag as a parting gift from the Women's Club.

Feed Grinding-Mixing

Let us do your feed grinding and mixing. We carry a complete line of all concentrates and feeds that are necessary for the good feeding of poultry and livestock. Our equipment is the best.

Top prices paid for grain and seed at all times. We want and appreciate your business.

Math Barzen Co., Inc.
A. Hanson, Manager
St. Hilaire, Minn.

DEFEAT OSLO 16-15

The high school basketball team defeated the Oslo team by a score of 16-15 in a hotly contested game played here Friday evening. Oslo took a lead from the start and maintained it until last quarter when the local boys staged a rally to the final whistle. The second teams of Oslo and St. Hilaire staged the preliminary contest which was won by the Oslo team by a score of 9 to 6. Carl Grimmer, a former resident of this village, and former student at the local school, is coach of the Oslo team.

BLACK RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hartje and Mr. and Mrs. Hagman and family and Irving McKecher were dinner guests at the R. J. McKecher home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Van der Streek home Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Victor Brink and Mrs. Bakko visited at the Gunnard Lindquist home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lindquist visited at the Alfred Dahlstrom home in Dorsey on Sunday.

Marie Erickson spent the week end at the Axel Jacobson home.

Edho, Ann, Shirley and Geo. Norman visited at the R. J. McKecher home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Jacobson were supper guests at the Axel Jacobson home Wednesday evening.

Oscar Mosbeck visited at the Mrs. Albert Sevre home Sunday evening.

A group of friends gathered at the Anton Larson home on Wednesday evening to help Lornea celebrate his birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Enock Swanson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Swanson and family and Mrs. Erickson and Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Landman and family.

The Misses Laura Anderson, Doris Sevre and Melford Peterson visited at the Mrs. Albert Sevre home Sunday evening. Mrs. N. J. Stark, Louise and Axel were callers at the Mrs. Albert Sevre home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nelson of Euclid spent the week-end at the John Steiger home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carlson and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lardy visited at the Carl Surmo home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McWilliams called at the Ed. Van der Streek home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Steiger and family Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nelson visited at the Alfred Dahlstrom home on Sunday afternoon.

RUG WEAVING—For plain and fancy rug weaving, call on Mrs. C. C. Schantz, St. Hilaire. 11

HERMAN BURSTAD DIES SUDDENLY

Herman Burstad, age 55, well known farmer residing in Red Lake county southwest of here died unexpectedly Monday morning at a Thief River hospital after an illness of two days which developed into pneumonia.

He was in the village Friday apparently in usual health, so news of his death Monday morning came as a severe shock to his relatives and neighbors.

Raised in the community wherein he resided, Burstad had engaged in farming for many years, and was well known all through this section.

He is survived by his wife, the former Ida Satterberg, and by four brothers and two sisters. The latter are Henry and Edward, who reside in the home owned by them at Oakleaf at San Francisco, Calif. Mrs. Hottel of near Devils Lake, N. D., and Mrs. E. B. Conklin who resides west of here, besides numerous other relatives.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at one o'clock at the home and at 5 o'clock at the Clara Swedish Lutheran church of which the deceased was a member. Rev. H. A. Larson will officiate. Interment will be in the Clara church cemetery. The brothers, Peter and Olaf, have wired they are enroute and will arrive in time to be present at the funeral.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Albert W. Brian, who had suffered a couple attacks of appendicitis this winter, went to a Thief River hospital Monday night, and yesterday underwent an operation. He came and is in the best of shape, and is showing improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Burke of Moorhead motored here Sunday and spent the day with their parents, Mrs. E. E. Burke and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olson. Upon returning home that evening, they were accompanied by Mrs. Burke who will visit for a short time at Moorhead before going to Minneapolis to spend the winter at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Martin.

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HAZEL

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rose and Joyce Rose, were Sunday dinner guests at the Henry Sandberg home.

Howard Wayne infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson was baptized Sunday morning at the Capiz church.

Spouses were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wadsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rudolph, daughter Betty Ann and Carol Rude of Smiley were Saturday evening visitors at the Martha Loken home.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Y. Ellington, children, Betty Ann and Mayo were Saturday evening visitors at C. A. Rose's home.

Mrs. Herman Sandberg and Mrs. C. A. Rose visited Friday afternoon with Mrs. Adrian Anderson.

Miss Doris Johnson, who is employed at Arnt Wedul's, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Johnson at Thief River Falls Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Arneson and children visited at the Carl Alberg home Saturday evening.

Mr. Ole Odegard visited with Mrs. Edna Thune at Thief River Falls Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnt Wedul and sons visited Sunday evening at the Oscar Wedul home at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegard spent Sunday afternoon visiting at the Andrew Arne home.

Visitors at the Helmer Berg home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Maund and daughter Janice, Mrs. Olena Engstrom and Mrs. Ole Odegard.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Odegard and children of Thief River Falls visited Sunday evening at the Odegard's.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandberg and family were Sunday evening visitors at the Martin K. Ellingson home.

Many people of this community attended the funeral Monday afternoon for Mr. Tom Peterson formerly a resident of Hazel, who passed away at Thief River Falls Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson and sons Arnt and Hjalmer Peterson visited Saturday evening at the Henry Sandberg home.

Visitors at the Carl Alberg home Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rannum, Mrs. Clarence Wickstrom and daughter Loretta of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rude and daughter of Smiley.

The sewing club met at the Tojken home Tuesday afternoon. Miss Naomi Johnson was hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Wilson of Wyanetka, Halvor Wale and Henry Wale of Kratka were Sunday visitors at Arnt Wedul's.

Miss Mayme Anderson spent a few days visiting at the Peterson home at Thief River Falls.

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FARM RENTERS

The Minnesota Department of Rural Credit has sold 2250 farms from January 1, 1939, to November 1, 1940.

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ANNUAL VILLAGE STATEMENT

Annual statement of Arthur Hansen, Treasurer of the Village of St. Hilaire, in the County of Hennepin, of the money received by him as such Treasurer and the sources from which they were received, and the amounts paid out by him and the purposes for which they were paid.

General Fund

From Whom Received, On What Account

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JUDGE M. BRATTLAND DIES AT THIEF RIVER

Michael A. Brattland, judge of the 14th district, died Friday at his home at Thief River Falls after an acute illness of cancer.

Appointed by Governor Floyd B. Olson in February, 1934, he was re-elected that year and again in 1940. Previous to his appointment he had been prominent in legal circles in Norman county having served as county attorney and judge of probate.

Judge Brattland, who was 74 years of age, was born in Wisconsin, this state, October 9, 1866, and moved to Norman county with his parents when a child.

He was graduated from the University of Minnesota in 1890, being a member of the first law class of that school. He began practice of law at McIntosh in 1891.

The following year he established a practice in Ada. From 1896 to 1900 he was judge of probate. In 1915 he was elected county attorney which position he held until 1928.

He was married to Mabel Dawley at Ada in 1900. They moved to Thief River Falls in 1935.

Surviving are his wife; one son, Armond D., practicing law at Bemidji; one daughter, Lila, at home; one grandson, and a brother, Gilbert, of Thief River Falls. His older brother, Ole, died at Fargo in August.

Funeral services were held today at 2 o'clock in the municipal auditorium at Thief River Falls which were attended by city, county and other officials, in addition to hundreds of friends. Final rites will be held at 2:30 Friday afternoon in the city auditorium at Ada, and interment will take place there.

CALENDARS HERE

A supply of the 1941 community calendars, distributed annually by the B. M. Club, came last week and are now ready for distribution at the Spectator office. As the supply is limited, the calendars will be given to adults only on the basis of duplication of distribution to the same homes and none to others.

PRE-HOLIDAY SPECIALS

These low prices on quality foods are for cash, and are good until Dec. 24. Save on your holiday purchases.

Delmont Fruit Cocktail, 1-lb. cans.	2 for 25c
GOLDEN VALLEY CRACKERS	2 lb. caddy 12c
OUR FAMILY OATS, regular size	15c
Golden Valley PEANUT BUTTER	2 lbs. 22c
Golden Valley TOMATO JUICE, 46 oz.	15c
Golden Valley PORK & BEANS, 50 oz.	15c
SALAD DRESSING, quart jars	19c
OXYDOL, large size	19c
OH BOY PEABERRY COFFEE, reg. 25c	2 lbs. 39c
ARGO CORN OR GLOSS STARCH	2 pkgs. 15c
SODA	1 lb. box for 5c
Ton Tacker Whole Wheat Breakfast Food	4 lbs. 22c
ONIONS	10 lbs. 17c
HERRING, frozen Lake Superior, per lb.	7c
PICKEREL, fresh frozen, per lb.	9c
PIKE, frozen, per lb.	14c
PORK ROAST, per lb.	16c
PORK CHOPS, per lb.	19c
PORK SAUSAGE, per lb.	15c
SWEET POTATOES, yams	4 lbs. 25c
CABBAGE	10 lbs. 17c

High quality Christmas candles, nuts and apples at attractive low prices.

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M. H. JACKSON

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

St. Hilaire, Minn.

OPERETTA TONIGHT
The annual Christmas operetta at the school, which marks beginning of the holiday season, will be presented in the new school auditorium tonight (Thursday). Included in the cast are all pupils in the first six grades. If weather is favorable, a packed house is expected for the operetta.

Scholarship Winners at N. W. School Announced

Five scholarship awards, amounting to \$250, have again been awarded to students of the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston by the Sears, Roebuck and Co. of Chicago. According to Superintendent T. M. McCall of the Northwest School, the scholarships are awarded to boys who have done outstanding work in 4-H club projects and other rural groups and are intended to continue farming. Superintendent McCall states "During the four years the scholarships have been awarded, twenty outstanding boys and girls have been given the scholarship. The winners of the 1940 scholarships, including the 4-H club of Hallowell, Kittson county; Roland Meritt of Hallowell, Ontario county; Clifton Carter of Foster, Polk county; Harold Becker of Audubon, Becker county; and Lonnie Laidley of Swift, Roseau county.

NEW AUTO PLATES READY

Minnesota auto license plates for 1941, which will be the same color as in 1940, are on hand at the office of Secretary of State Mike Holm ready for distribution after first of the year.

JUNIORS PRESENT PLAY

The Junior Class play "Sunbonnet Jane of Symacore Land," one of the best ever presented at the local school, was given in the new auditorium last Friday evening. Owing to cold weather, the audience that witnessed the play was not as large as was expected, but lack of numbers was more than made up by the enthusiasm of those present. The Junior and their coach have every reason to feel proud of their play, and are to be congratulated on its faultless presentation. Incidentally, the Juniors have the honor of presenting the first school play in the new auditorium.



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week. Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

A regular meeting of the B. M. Club was held Monday night.

Harwood Olson is driving a new Plymouth coupe which he recently purchased.

The skating rink was given another flooding yesterday. Lights have been connected, and the rink will be ready for use in a day or two.

Mrs. G. Fellman and Mrs. Sig Engstrom returned Monday morning to their homes at Minneapolis after being here to attend the Herman Burstad funeral, and to visit briefly at the Adolph Satterberg home.

On Nov. 23, George Willson, Jr., of Aurora, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Olson of this village, was awarded the highest rating in Scouting, the Eagle award, at a special Rose ceremony in charge of Municipal Judge Christ Holm of Hibbing.

Peter Burstad, former local man, is now employed by the Pacific Gas & Electric company out of San Francisco, Calif., arrived here Saturday morning to attend the funeral services for his brother, the late Herman Burstad.

Robert Collins, accompanied by Ray Young and daughter Shirley, left Saturday morning by car enroute to Brainerd, Wash., to make their homes. While enroute they planned to visit briefly with relatives at Rugby and Minot, N. D., and at Glenview, Mont., and expected to reach their destination by the end of this week.

The high school basketball did not fare so well Thursday night when they went to Red Lake Park to take on the school teams of that city. In the preliminary game, the Red Lake "B" team won 18-10, and in the main contest the Red Lakes answered the long end of a 30 to 24 score. Lacking practice, the local boys are rapidly rounding into condition and will give a good account of themselves in later games.

Feed Grinding-Mixing

Let us do your feed grinding and mixing. We carry a complete line of all concentrates and feeds that are necessary for the good feeding of poultry and livestock. Our equipment is the best. Top prices paid for grain and seed at all times. We want and appreciate your business.

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A. Hanson, Manager

St. Hilaire, Minn.

BURSTAD RITES HELD

Funeral services for the late Herman Burstad, were held Saturday at 2 o'clock at the Clara Swedish Lutheran church, with Rev. H. A. Larson officiating. Capacity of the church was taxed to accommodate all the neighbors and friends who came to pay their last respects to one esteemed by them all. Many beautiful floral tributes, silent messages of love and sympathy, covered the casket. Interment was made in the cemetery adjoining the church.

Among out-of-town relatives present were Peter Burstad of Modesto, Calif., Mrs. G. Fellman and Mrs. Sig Engstrom of Minneapolis, besides a number of cousins of the deceased from Gary and Thief River Falls.

Another brother, Olof of Modesto, Calif., was unable to attend the rites because of illness.

'41 SOIL PAYMENT PLAN IS GIVEN BY STATE CHAIRMAN

Rates of payment to Minnesota farmers cooperating in the 1941 agricultural conservation program were announced today by Charles W. Siskney, chairman of the state A.A. committee.

Conservation payments for corn and wheat will be 9 and 8 cents respectively, the same as the 1940 rate, while potatoes will be 2.3 cents a decrease of 64 cents from 1940. The payment for general soil-conserving crops has been increased from 90 cents to \$1.10 per acre, while the payment for sugar flint and binder has been reduced from 9 to 8 cents per acre.

The 1941 rates for computing the soil-building allowance are 50 cents an acre for non-depleting acreage as compared to 49 cents in 1940. Commercial vegetables will be 70 cents an acre, an increase of 7 cents over the 1940 rate, while commercial orchards will draw \$1.30 per acre, the same as in 1940.

Principal change noted in the plan is that farmers will receive a greater share of the funds for use in carrying out approved soil-building practices, which is a continuation of the A.A. policy to place more emphasis on soil conservation.

Minnesota farmers can earn payments by staying within their total soil-depleting acreage allotments, their special acreage allotments, and for carrying out soil-building practices.

SUMMER PASTIME IN WINTER SCENERY

Red Wing-Residents of East Red Wing were startled on a recent morning to hear the unmistakable whirr of a lawnmower cutting across the snowdrifts and coming from the general direction of the local Walton League park. Curious investigators there found "Parnas" Eckholm on the business end of the mower, his head hardly visible above heaps of snow. "Slating" risk, he explained briefly. Following a loud guffaw, Eckholm calmly continued, "Grazed too high, got it off so it won't stick through the ice." And he was right!

HEAVY SNOWFALL IN SOUTH HALF STATE

The south half of Minnesota, northern Iowa and parts of Wisconsin experienced one of the heaviest snowfalls of the present winter Monday this week. Snow to a depth of a foot fell in the Twin Cities area, disrupting traffic, delaying trains and making necessary closing of the highways. At Albert Lea and other nearby towns all schools were closed when the highways became blocked by huge drifts of snow, some of them from five to ten feet in depth. Snowplowing equipment went to work in late Monday afternoon. The cold had subsided, and normal traffic is reported to be moving at this time.

The Northwest corner of the state, which has been fortunate in the matter of snowfall so far this winter, was out of the path of this storm. No snow fell in Minnesota traffic. Prompted by a sudden drop in temperature to about 10 below zero for a few hours.

DRIVE CAREFULLY

Last year, in the fifteen days of holiday or snowfall immediately preceding Christmas Day, 42 persons met death in Minnesota traffic. Prompted by this grim reminder, highway officials this week appeal to all citizens of the state to join in efforts to reduce the traffic toll during the current holiday season.

Hurrying pedestrian shoppers, speeded up delivery trucks and hurriedly tried to visit relatives and friends at distant points are some of the most potent causes for accidents. There will be little cause for joy during Christmas season if, for some cause that could have been avoided, death and sorrow result.

TAKE TWO FROM OKLEKE

Cochet Bergquist's hard-working hoopers covered themselves with glory Tuesday night when they kept clear their record of losing no games on the home floor, by defeating the White high school A and B teams. The second-string boys put up a mighty good battle in the preliminary to make an easy win. Inspired by this performance, the regulars went on the floor and put on a good exhibition of passing, guarding and shooting to win 38 to 18. A good sized crowd witnessed the two games. With a little more practice, the local teams will be formidable opponents for any of the school teams in this district.

TO ALL OF YOU whom we have faithfully endeavored to serve for many years—a very Merry Christmas.

Service for You

Cold storage locker service and handling of meats from cutting to packaging, is only one phase of the service available at your creamery.

We handle flour, feeds, table and stock salt, cheese, feed corn and other products. Give your creamery first consideration when in the market for these items. You are helping yourself when you boost and patronize the creamery.

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Hen, Rooster Motif For Tea Towel Set



No. 21918

THE romantic story of a priest and a hen and a rooster, aided and abetted by Cupid in daisy form, is entertainingly told in motifs for a set of tea towels. Any bride, or matron, would welcome clever towels like these; there is one for each day of the week. The two extra motifs are for matching handkerchiefs to complete the set.

No. 21919, 10c, brings the HEN and HEN in pattern giving these nine designs each color set.

SAINT MARTIN
Box 56-W
Kansas City, Mo.
Enclose 10 cents for each pattern desired. Pattern No.
Name
Address

The Better Way to Correct Constipation

One way to treat constipation is to resort to laxatives and "pills." But it is a better way to get it at the source. No matter how long it has been there, it is not a disease, but a habit. It is a habit that can be broken. It is a habit that can be broken by the use of a simple, natural, and effective remedy. It is a habit that can be broken by the use of a simple, natural, and effective remedy. It is a habit that can be broken by the use of a simple, natural, and effective remedy.

Friend or foe
The man that makes the best friend will make the worst enemy.

FOR HEAD COLDS

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Live to Apply
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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

By Edward C. Wayne

U. S. Isolationists 'View With Alarm' All Moves to Aid Britain and Greece; 'Bottlenecks' Worry Defense Leaders; Italian Drive Suffers New Reverses

(EDITORIAL NOTE—This analysis was prepared by the editorial staff of the St. Hilaire Spectator, and is published for the convenience of the readers of this paper. It is not intended to be a substitute for the news of the day, but rather a guide to the news of the day.)

'Twas the night before Christmas,
When all through the house
Not a creature was stirring,
Not even a mouse.

—Clement Clarke Moore



TAKING SHIP: U. S. Steps In

THE prominent isolationists "viewed with alarm" each successive step it was evident that the United States was becoming day a more vital factor in the various phases of World War II.

Summed up, there might be catalogued as (a) promised aid to Greece; (b) promised food credits to Spain; (c) promised aid to Britain even ahead of vital national defense; (d) preparations to place the navy immediately in shape to aid Britain in patrolling ocean lanes.

President Roosevelt's assurance to King George of Greece that material aid will come from this country, and immediately, was couched in terms that showed the nation ready to answer any and all peoples suffering from aggression.

At the same time that the state department and national defense council busied themselves with this problem, Ambassador Weddell approached the more ticklish task of aiding Axis-friendly Spain. The Spanish admiral was in dire need of food to tide them over the winter.

France was unable to give immediate assurance of Spain's non-participation in the war, but while America apparently was willing to waive a definite pledge, a demand was made that Spain assume the principle of non-interference.

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NAZI SPEECH: Rival Worlds

In a 40-minute address to German war workers, Adolf Hitler, told them and the world that the current war was a fight between two worlds, one of "special privileges," in which he included the United States, and the other a world of equality and freedom represented by Nazi Germany. He indicated that Britain would lead more and more into the Nazi armed force. Expressing his confidence in Germany's strength, Hitler promised his followers that the tempo of war was stepped up into Nazi victory was assured.

LAGGING: Bottlenecks

Appropriating billions for defense production is one thing, getting the material to the front, at the U. S. defense leaders were finding out.

The "bottlenecks"—bottleneck Number One, was the lack of defense leaders were finding out.

DOMESTIC SCENE

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FARM TOPICS

MOLASSES ADDS FOOD TO SILAGE

Tests Establish Its Value as Nutrient.

By C. B. BENDER
(Assoc. Professor of Animal Husbandry, Rutgers University)

Alcohol and the same acids which are found in vinegar, corn's milk and rancid butter occur in grass silage when molasses is added and they are also contained in corn silage. But that's nothing to be held against silage, for these ingredients are used by cow's for heat and energy.

Experimental studies which brought about this conclusion were started because many dairymen were of the opinion that the cost of molasses is a direct proportion to the value of the silage. It is the preservation of grasses and legumes as silage.

Some farmers felt that molasses is added to silage in order to preserve it because the bacteria convert the sugar in the molasses to various acids which preserve the green crop in the silage. Although dairymen have molasses to cattle and horses and know its value, none believed this value to be as soon as the sugar is converted into acids.

The studies were made to determine the chemical changes which occurred in the silage when silage is made with grass and preserved with molasses. It was found that the sugar is converted by bacteria into alcohol and into acetic acid which is found in vinegar. The silage which is found in cow's milk, and butyric acid, is found in silage in rancid butter.

Another experiment was then set up to determine whether these acids and alcohol were fed to animals. As the result of these metabolism studies it was initially established that all of them were utilized by the animal. It was the animal's body. This means that they take their place along side of the carbohydrates, in corn and other dairy feeds as definite nutrients.

Advise Blue Banding

Winter's Heavy Layers

Mid-winter—which means snow—during December and January is the best time to examine each layer of the poultryman's flock. It is the proper time to examine each layer of the poultryman's flock. It is the proper time to examine each layer of the poultryman's flock.

As to aluminum, the cost of increasing its production is the most material problem, but there is a long lag between raw material and the sheets and forgings necessary to make tanks, mounts and fuel tanks.

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Instances of circulation of Marx's propaganda, also the teaching of Communist doctrines were uncovered by the "blue banding" of many of them in Brooklyn college, a city-owned institution, were found in Chicago, and in New York City, where they were charged with being Red party members.

CRASH: Another Tragedy

Perhaps a mile away from their wonderful record of safety in passenger-carrying, the plane lines had a rule shock when a mail carrier crashed in Chicago, with the loss of many lives.

Review of accident brought two minutes of notice of investigation. (1) That Pilot Scott charged from one place to another in Cleveland because he didn't like the sound of an engine when he "revved" it prior to a takeoff; (2) He had to circle about for 20 minutes in a blinding snowstorm over the Chicago airport before he could land.

Six weeks "in line," stacked on thousands of mail intervals as they took turns coming into the port. The possibility of snow-blindness was mentioned, as at the last moment, the pilot refused ground forces that he had a good view of the "blue band" and was coming in.

FOREIGN JOTTINGS:

Belgian—Jan Kubelek, master violinist, was reported to have died in Prague at 80. Reckless of money, he died in poverty and was buried with his beloved Czechoslovakia crumpling around him. By his side was "Charles Dvorak," a Czech master violinist who once heard Kubelek play, remarking that his own life and studies to "stay forever" with "such a master."

Paris—An "Italian incident" was the definition of Nazi occupation of the city of Rome. It was a "black day" for the Italian people, as they were reported to have died in Prague at 80. Reckless of money, he died in poverty and was buried with his beloved Czechoslovakia crumpling around him.

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Meditation: "Beholding the Shep-

herd's Joy." Your attendance

will be appreciated. Christmas

is one time we should be in

church to worship our Savior

to hear His Word.

8 P. M. Christmas Festival

program by the Bible School

Covenant Chapel, Dec. 22nd,

next Sunday, 8 P. M., Christ-

mas Festival.

Merry Christmas everyone.

St. Hilare, N. L. Churches

M. L. Dahl, Pastor

Central Street Sunday, Dec.

22, Oct. 11, 11 A. M.

Sunday school, Dec. 27,

Christmas Day, St. Hilare

view 11 A. M. Sunday school

program in evening.

9:30 Services 2 p. m., Sun-

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2 p. m.

Clearwater Service Sunday,

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HAZEL

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sjovold

and Jerry Sjovold visited at

the Herman Sandberg home

Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Art Anderson of Grygja

spent Wednesday evening visit-

ing with his parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Adolf Anderson.

Mrs. Ole Odgaard visited

with Mrs. Tom Groven at St.

Hilare Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Wedul, Mr.

and Mrs. Oscar Wedul of Thief

River Falls were Saturday visi-

tors at the Arnt Wedul home.

Elmer Erickson spent a few

days at the city to attend the

Cooperative Elevator associa-

tion convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odgaard,

Harvey Odgaard and Ole Pe-

ters were Sunday dinner

guests at the home of Mr. and

Mrs. Walter Odgaard.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Daoust

of Crookston spent last Sat-

urday with the former's brother-

in-law and sister, Mr. and

Mrs. Peter Grogan.

Hans Fredrickson returned

last Saturday from a hospi-

tal at Thief River Falls after

a stroke of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bren-

seth, Carol, Betty and

Paul returned home last Monday

from Peterburg, N. D., after

spending the week-end visiting

with Mr. and Mrs. Brenseth,

daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Odgaard

at children visited Sunday

with Mrs. Odgaard's mother,

Mrs. Signe Evensen at Kraika.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rude

and daughters Betty Ann

and Mary Emil Larson

visited at the J. A. Erickson

home at Thief River Falls

Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Swanson

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ST. HILARE SPECTATOR, ST. HILARE, MINN.

BRAY

The first meeting of the

Bray and the Centre Park

band met at School Dist.

180 Friday evening. The meet-

ing was attended by a large

audience and a short business meet-

ing was held after which the

following program was given:

Song, "To the World, by

audience; "Dust," "God Bless Amer-

ica," "The Star of Bethlehem,"

and Grace Seve; Play, "Friday

Afternoon Composition," with

the cast as follows, Mr. and

Mrs. Eldon Erickson, Mrs.

James Barnett, Mrs. Bill Kruse,

Miss Lorraine Engelson, Har-

old Lindholm, Donald and

Clarence Seve and Carl Lind-

holm; Music by the "Smoky

Mountain Boys"; Reading by

the Dorothy Swanson Song by

a Trio consisting of Mrs. A. Swa-

son, C. K. Kruse and Mrs. E.

Peters. Nursery rhymes were

given by the men of the com-

munity. Music by the Smoky

Mountain Boys.

After this two sides were

chosen for a quiz with mar-

bles. The young folks

with the latter winning. The

live village party for the

winners during Christmas.

Closing the program the nation-

al anthem was sung. The fol-

lowing officers were elected: Pres-

ident Maurice Scholin; vice pres-

ident Myrtle Pearson; Secre-

tary Vernon Scholin, Financial

secretary Carl Lindholm.

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son, a sister of the groom and

Harold Lindholm, a brother of

the bride. The bride was at-

tended in a pink steeple length

dress and wore a corsage of red

roses and white carnations and

a red rose in her hair. Her on-

ly coming was a gold coin.

The bride made a navy blue

steeple length dress with a

shoestring of pink and

white carnations.

Following the ceremony a

wedding reception was given at

the Mosbeck home. A large

wedding cake decorated in pink

and white with a miniature

bride and groom centered the

table. Those present at the

wedding were immediate rela-

tives and close friends. The

young couple will make their

home at Thief River Falls. We

all wish them a long and happy

wedded life.

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1941 FARM BUREAU MEETING JANUARY 3

Plans are under way to hold the Pennington County annual Farm Bureau meeting on January 3, 1941, announces R. J. Reynolds, state chairman.

McKercher, president of the Farm Bureau. Arrangements are being made to hold the annual meeting at the Civic and Commerce rooms at the Thief River Falls city auditorium at 1:30 P. M.

The selection of directors and officers for the coming year will take place as well as the transaction of other business of the organization. A resolutions committee will present recommendations and it is expected that a number of definite recommendations will be made. Reports on the progress of the Farm Bureau for the last year will also be presented.

Arrangements are also completed to have Carl Ash, county agent in Polk county conduct a discussion on the outlook for farm prices in 1941. A special entertainment will also be provided. The large part of the meeting, however, will be devoted to various problems concerning the local Farm Bureau program. Definite organization to get underway a group hospitalization plan for Farm Bureau members will be taken up.

The membership drive has been prolonged considerably in Pennington county this fall on account of weather conditions, but it is hoped that a favorable membership report for 1941 can also be made at the annual meeting.

Anderson-Thyren
Marvin Thyren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thyren of River township, and Miss Agnes Anderson, daughter of Mrs. Anna Anderson who lives west of St. Hilaire, were married at the Anderson home at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening by Rev. H. A. Larson, pastor of the Swedish Lutheran church of St. Hilaire.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Pearl Anderson and the groom by his brother, Donald Thyren.

Following the ceremony a wedding reception was held at the Anderson home for the wedding party. The newlyweds left on a honeymoon trip to the Twin Cities and upon their return will make their home on the Thyren farm, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

First Submarine
The submarine is regarded as a modern invention, but the first one really was built in England in 1792. It was a wooden shell, covered with leather, and navigated by 12 rowers.

FARM RENTERS

The Minnesota Department of Rural Credit has sold 2250 farms from January 1, 1939, to November 1, 1940. With this definite indication of a trend to farm ownership, it is to your advantage to investigate the possibilities of obtaining a farm home of your own.

The Minnesota Department of Rural Credit still has many fine farms available for sale at fair prices and on reasonable terms.

For further information see your Local Broker, or write

Department of Rural Credit

Thief River Falls, Detroit Lakes, Brainerd
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ULVAN HEADS FDR BIRTHDAY GROUP

J. H. Ulvan, Thief River Falls, is chairman for the 1941 Pennington county committee for the celebration of the President's birthday. It was announced today by Arthur B. Reynolds, state chairman.

Mr. Ulvan will head the county organization which will raise funds for the battle against infantile paralysis. This campaign will culminate with the observance of the President's birthday on Jan. 30 when committees throughout the state will stage fund-raising entertainments. Mr. Reynolds said.

One half of the funds raised in each county will be used for the benefit of local polio victims. The other half will go to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis to be used for research into the causes and cure for the disease.

Funds raised by the Birthday Celebration Committee will be turned over to the county chapter of the National Foundation which directs the expenditure among local polio victims.

SCHOOL INTERIOR TO BE REFURNISHED

Following receipt of word from Attorney A. A. Denison of Crookston that the state emergency relief board had appropriated \$2,000 to St. Hilaire school district No. 102, steps have been taken to start a project that calls for complete refurnishing of the present school building.

This work, which will be an extension of the present WPA project, will include repainting where needed, painting of walls; refurnishing woodwork; and sanding and refurnishing of floors which will put the building in substantially the same condition as it was when built.

Several men will be added this week to the crew which will work two shifts during the holiday vacation to complete such work as cannot be done when the school is in session. The former gymnasium has been remodeled into a class room so one of the class rooms may be refurnished at the time. If sufficient man-hours of labor are available under the present setup, it also is planned to refinish all seats and furniture in the building.

HOLIDAY TOLL HEAVY
Nearly three hundred persons met violent death throughout the United States during the present holiday season. Out of this number, about two hundred died in auto accidents.

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Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know

Andrew Hague returned Monday to his home at Haledale after spending a month at the Otto Johnson home.

Miss Grace Dahl, teacher in the Albert Lea high school, came Sunday morning to spend Christmas with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahl.

Dorothy Gustaf, teacher in the city schools at Wahpeton, N. D., is spending her holiday Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gustaf.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Graham and daughter, Marys, motored Tuesday to Bertha, Minn., to spend Christmas with relatives of Mrs. Graham.

Christmas tree programs were given in both the Norwegian Lutheran and Evangelical Mission Covenant churches last evening. There was good attendance at both programs.

Miss Laura Simonson, employed in an insurance office at Minneapolis, and Miss Pearl Simonson, who teaches at Deer River, are here to spend Christmas vacation with their father, Peter Simonson.

A light snow fell here yesterday. Most of the snow thawed as it fell, but lowering temperatures last night coated the road with ice making them dangerous for anything but very careful driving.

U. S. Land Bank Makes More Loans This Year

Farmers seeking to refinance their mortgage loans have turned again to the Federal Land Bank of St. Paul during 1940 in increasing numbers. It is shown in a summary for the year, compared to 1939. The gain in loan volume in Minnesota is 28 per cent above last year's figures. For the first 11 months of 1940, \$11,111,111 in loans were made through the bank. Last year, the total was \$8,632,000, compared to \$8,332,000 for the same period last year. The volume of loans was made by a 20 per cent increase in the number of loans made. The volume of loans was made by a 20 per cent increase in the number of loans made.

Black Preferred
The South on automobile bodies most preferred by Americans are made in black.

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Let us do your feed grinding and mixing. We carry a complete line of all concentrates and feeds that are necessary for the good feeding of poultry and livestock. Our equipment is the best.

Top prices paid for grain and feed at all times. We want and appreciate your business.

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A. Hanson, Manager
St. Hilaire, Minn.

OTTO SANDMOEN DIES

Otto Sandmoen, age 66, former resident of St. Hilaire, died Tuesday last, week at Minneapolis where he and family had resided for 26 years.

Born in Solan, Norway, he came to this community with his parents when a child, and will be recalled by all the older residents and former residents of St. Hilaire.

He is survived by his widow, a daughter, Mrs. J. Gardes of Hibbing, Minn.; five brothers, Fred and Charles, Melvin, Creek, Ont.; Christ, Seattle, Theodore, Rainy River, Ont.; Richard at International Falls, Minn. and by three sisters, Mrs. Frank Berglund, Melvin Creek; Mrs. Bella Elvov, Seattle, and Mrs. Edward Edgington at Crookston.

FARM SECURITY CLIENTS URGED

TO PLAN AHEAD

Like doing one's Christmas shopping early, there is good reason why farm families expecting to apply for the Farm Security Administration for operating credit should do so at this time of the year. This was explained by Charles Omsrud, Farm Security Administration representative at Marshall and Pennington counties. He advised farmers to "think ahead" about their credit needs, instead of waiting until they get down to their last bushel of grain.

Mr. Omsrud pointed out that a farmer applying now for credit which he will not need for several months may have it held for him and made available on a specified date. Thus, the loan does not begin to bear interest until it is actually used.

The advantage of applying in the winter is that this is the in-between season when farmers can size up their past year's business and plan for the new year.

Mr. Omsrud said the FSA supervisor, too, has more time to help the farm family develop a farm and home management plan which is fundamental to our program, and often of more benefit than the loan itself. Some times the working out of winter plans requires considerable time and every spring we are forced to turn away applicants who apply too late to permit such plans to be drawn up.

Many other farmers, who are approaching us in time to receive the loan, find themselves caught in the spring rush in our office just when they are most pressed for time.

Farm Security Administration loans are made to farm operators, whether owners or tenants, who are unable to obtain credit on reasonable terms from other sources. The loans can be made for seed, stock, fertilizer, livestock, equipment and similar operating needs for periods from one to five years, with interest at five per cent.

Tells for Victims

A half-century-old church bell tolls the toll for a country church in Dallas county, Texas, for persons in Texas who have lost their lives traffic accidents.

Crossword Puzzle

Pointers similar to the crossword puzzle are known to all. What is believed by some authorities to be the oldest crossword puzzle was made by a certain about 2,000 years ago, a copy of which now lies in the entomological museum at Johns Hopkins university, Baltimore. This puzzle is called the Pharus puzzle, and was found on the island of Rhodes by an expedition many years ago.

AUTO MISHAP HERE SUNDAY MORNING

Lenning Aubol, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Aubol, is in critical condition at a Thief River Falls hospital with compound fracture of a leg, head and chest injuries as the result of an auto accident which occurred on the street here at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. He was in a car owned by his father, which was being driven by a young man, when it was struck by a car owned by William Sheedy, Jr., of Thief River Falls, accompanied by several other young people of that city, who were returning from Red Lake Falls, crashed into the Aubol car broadside throwing Lenning underneath the Sheedy machine. It is feared the accident was so terrific that the Aubol car was shoved nearly a hundred feet back into the wall of the Sheedy car which continued across the walk and crashed into the brick wall of the Twelve drug store building. Young Aubol, dragged the engine out, was extricated and taken to the hospital where he remained unconscious for nearly 60 hours. His injuries were such that little hope was entertained for his recovery, but he has since roused somewhat. Unless complications set in, he has a fair chance for recovery after a long period in the hospital.

A dense fog prevailing that morning denied for poor driving visibility, but does not account for the Sheedy car being on the wrong side of the road, nor for it travelling at greater speed than was prudent under the circumstances.

DINNER PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bepko and children, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hauge and children of St. Hilaire, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hauke, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Finstad and daughter, Janice, and Signa Lind of Redbury, Miss Jewell Kleivstad of Thief River Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hauke and children of Plummer were dinner guests at the Otto Johnson home last Sunday.

Sun Creaks
"Sun creaks" made ages ago in soft and which subsequently hardened. Pledges and anchors have etched many of the huge slabs of stone in Assisi church, N. Y., with subtle patterns.

A GLAD NEW YEAR

May every one of the coming 365 days of the New Year be "Happy Days" for you and yours.

Edward Ench
TRUCKING
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Service for You

Cold storage locker service and handling of meats from cutting to packaging, is only one phase of the service available at your creamery.

We handle flour, feeds, table and stock salt, cheese, feed corn and other products. Give your creamery first consideration when in the market for these items. You are helping yourself when you boast and patronize the creamery.

St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery Association

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Fragrant Flowers Bloom Again To Enhance Winter Ensembles

By CHERRIE NICHOLAS



A DORING blouse, brother's, uncles and husbands please take notice. According to latest fashion news that gracious, lovely lady custom of wearing fragrant flowers in her hair, pinned to her bodice or adorning her fur coat at the game has been revived.

If you long to add happiness and midwinter joys to the one you love best, and of course you do, send her flowers. Should an untold fate take you out of town on the day of her coming out party or on the night of the college dance she had counted on attending, simply wear her flowers and friend friend will do the rest.

If she is a sophisticated beauty, send her a stunning new ornamental headpiece of fragrant carnations and rose petals. The appearance created by the black wool crepe and with lavish embroidery pinned to the right in the illustration is greatly enhanced by a matching bouquet pinned on the evening bag.

Possibly she is a swing addic or a girl who adores waltzes. In this event you will be sure to win her heart if you send her a glamorous romantic headpiece of ribbon lilies to wear to the holiday party down on her social calendar. A matching bracelet of diamonds to wear with her airy dress of silver striped tulle will add to the left in the figure above is very welcome.

The center figure above simply shows how well-placed flowers can

"dress up" a sports ensemble.

When it comes to the masterpiece of flower accessories, see the adorable list formed of blue cornflowers fastened about the slender young throat and pretty shoulders of the lassie pictured in the oval inset. Small wonder is it that flower necklaces such as this one inspired by the picturesque Hawaiian leis, have become a fashion favorite. Sophisticates who would add more feminine allure to her young charms.

Be sure to enter this adorable flower lei made with a side clip of pink carnations which as you see by the picture, adds a rapturous glow. A necklace of tiny orchids or geraniums would be an equally glamorous choice. To fill her bouquet with overflowing with joy, give her a matching flower bracelet.

This trend to flowers bespeaks a new motivating thought in the minds of designers. They are playing up "leis" in costume flower arrangements that will prove as flattering and versatile and just as dramatic as most fashionable jewelry or other accessories items. For example, there is the present fad of pinning fresh flowers on your muff or to the cuff of your glove. Diadems of flowers make lovely culture ornaments, while red, white and blue flowers send the patriotic note.

(Illustrated by Western Newspaper Union.)

Knit Suit

Overshoes Have High, Low Heels

Overshoes don't change much from year to year. They just become a little neater looking, a little more attractive and a little more decorative. But this year the principal news is that the makers of galoshes have finally realized that many women wear low-heeled shoes during the winter months.

So this season you will find even the velvet carriage shoes trimmed with black bunny fur, available in three bell heights—low, Cuban and high. These are extremely smart worn with a velvet trimmed cloth coat or one of fur.

The familiar all-rubber galoshes are also made in the three bell sizes this year, and the toes are given a hokey look. You'll find a black on black contrast in these with shiny rubber applied in a pattern over the toe and the heels.

For good thing weather here's a sport set which will keep you snug and make you look charming all at the same time. It is a real piece of artistry in every detail. The baby-bonnet, mittens and sweater are trimmed with rows of colorful stich, accented with rows of colorful embroidery. Knit them in sturdy, white knitting worsted for warmth and long wear. The embroidery gives high-color to the entire combination. The buttons repeat the coloring of the embroidery.

Novel Coiffures Traced

To Oriental Influences

If you have kept step with the millinery parade your coiffure is consoled under draped, exotic contours that form part of the brain. Hairdressers wear draped turbans that add snugly down over the back of the head to the very apex of the neck. These new and fashionable turbans trace their inspiration to Oriental influences. The smartest completely conceal the hair.

Coats Can Serve As Warm Capes

Leave it to the smart people to do the unusual. At the moment they are wearing their fur or cloth coats to look like capes. Here's their technique. They turn the sleeves in if cost is of red wool or blue. It is not feasible they throw the coat about their necks. They wear them entirely ignoring that it has sleeves.

It is a practical gesture, for with the tailored jacketed wool suits now so fashionable it gives not only a "new" look to add the fun-factor touch, but with a few yards more there is comfort without a cape, because "they"

NEW YEAR PARTIES MUST HAVE PLENTY OF ZIP
(See Recipes Below)

Household News

Celebrating the advent of a new year is excuse enough for a party in any crowd. Whether it's youngsters or the "oldsters" that gather to see the old year out, the new year in, the party must have plenty of zesty and "hot-top-of-the-guy" new games, new music, new refreshments, and something to drink. It's a requirement!

Drink a toast to the new year with a punch hot punch, while the winds of winter howl and fling sheets of snow against the windows, a hot, tangy drink will cheer your guests (both young and old) and it starts them on the homeward trek warmed from within.

"Hawaiian Hot Cup" is a drink that is new to the home. Serve it steaming hot in small cups, with crackers and wedges of cheese to accompany it.

Hot Speed Cider and Holiday Malted Grape Juice, served with Ginger Cookies or Doughnuts, make simple and satisfying refreshments for a crowd, and crisp, buttery popcorn or salted nuts are good to nibble on while the entertainment is under way.

If you'd like to start the evening with a buffet meal, serve a menu you and your guests will like. Tuna Curry on Chinese Noodles.

Mixed Solid With French Dressing. Hot French or Italian Bread. Orange Ginger Bread. With Whipped Cream.

Curry. Tuna Curry. 1/2 cup butter. 1/2 cup flour. 1 teaspoon hot pepper powder. 1 teaspoon salt. 1 quart milk. 3 cups tuna (coarsely flaked). 1/2 cup mushrooms. 1/2 cup onion. 1/2 cup celery. 1/2 cup carrot. 1/2 cup peas. 1/2 cup corn. 1/2 cup beans. 1/2 cup lentils. 1/2 cup chickpeas. 1/2 cup kidney beans. 1/2 cup lima beans. 1/2 cup pinto beans. 1/2 cup black beans. 1/2 cup navy beans. 1/2 cup great northern beans. 1/2 cup cannellini beans. 1/2 cup adzuki beans. 1/2 cup mung beans. 1/2 cup split peas. 1/2 cup lentils. 1/2 cup chickpeas. 1/2 cup kidney beans. 1/2 cup lima beans. 1/2 cup pinto beans. 1/2 cup black beans. 1/2 cup navy beans. 1/2 cup great northern beans. 1/2 cup cannellini beans. 1/2 cup adzuki beans. 1/2 cup mung beans. 1/2 cup split peas. 1/2 cup lentils. 1/2 cup chickpeas. 1/2 cup kidney beans. 1/2 cup lima beans. 1/2 cup pinto beans. 1/2 cup black beans. 1/2 cup navy beans. 1/2 cup great northern beans. 1/2 cup cannellini beans. 1/2 cup adzuki beans. 1/2 cup mung beans. 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Phone 1048-R
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2 P. M., Unifist service.
Topic: "Girded for the New
Year."No Bible classes.
New Year's Eve, Dec. 31,
P. M. Program by W. P. S.
about 10:15 P. M. Refresh-
ments about 11:15 P. M. Wake
night service.Friday, Jan. 3rd, 1 P. M. M.
annual business meeting. Every
member present. Do it now—
in your membership appli-
cations. Happy New Year.Augustan Lutheran Church
H. A. Larson, PastorBlack River Sunday 10:00 a.
m. Sunday school, 11:30 a. m. ser-
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Wake sponsored by the Luther-
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Annual meeting Tuesday, Jan-
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Year's service.Thursday January 9, 1:30 p. m.
annual meeting.Clara, Hilda Sunday 8:00 p. m.
New Year's Day, 11 a. m. Ser-
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m. annual meeting.Bicycle Riders in Cleveland, Buf-
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with the police, but must also pass
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Eye-Car-Purse• This beautiful table
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this the ideal table model.• Here's the table model
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place listening enjoyment.Bilden & Olson
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Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Ander-
son entertained a group of
friends to Sunday dinner, those
invited were Mr. and Mrs.
Harry Winter, Jack and Joan
Winter, Mr. and Mrs. Arvid
Dahlstrom and daughter Mar-
jorie and Anton Dahlstrom of
St. Hilaire, Mr. and Mrs. Ed-
ward Olson and daughter, Mr.
and Mrs. Herman Sandberg and
children.Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wedel
Martin and Vernon Wedel, Miss
Hazel Nelson of Thief River
Falls were Saturday evening
visitors at the Arnt Wedel
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Ellington and Axel Rasmussen
visited Sunday evening at the
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Mrs. Herman Rude.Mrs. Adrian Anderson visited
with Mrs. Christina Sjoberg at
the Mrs. Ruth Dahm home at
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to spend the Christmas holiday
with their non-law and
daughter Mr. and Mrs. Fred-
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Sunday afternoon.Mr. and Mrs. Pete Nelson
Harvey Odegard and Donald
Johnson were Sunday dinner
guests at the Walter Odegard
home.Betty Ann Ellington, Miss
Odegard and Carol Peterson
attended a Christmas party on
Monday afternoon at Miss Fern
Marken's, music instructor at
Thief River Falls.Mrs. Karen Stenness, Julian
and Orville Stenness of Ode-
gard visited at the Arnt Wedel
home Tuesday evening.Mrs. Ole Odegard visited with
her parents at the Arnt Wedel
home Tuesday evening.Selmer Urdahl received word
that his father passed away at
Minotosh Tuesday morning.Miss Hilda Alberg of Chicago,
Illinois, formerly of Hazel, As-
sistant of Carl Alberg and As-
sistant of the Arnt Wedel home
to break her home.Miss Hilda Alberg was en-
ployed at the Arnt Wedel home
with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Engstad,
who were visiting in Chicago. While
visiting she was crossing the
street by the Engstad home she
was struck by a car which
knocked her down. She was rushed
to the hospital at once where
she was treated for a broken
leg.Christmas. Friends hope her
recovery.BRAY
A lovely Christmas program
was presented by the Amble
School 121, 180 last Friday
evening. After the program
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were Wednesday evening visit-
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home.Donald, Clarence, Glen and
Grace Severe and Raymond and
Grace Severe attended a sur-
prise birthday party in honor
of Rev. Dahl at the Norwegian
Lutheran church at St. Hilaire
Tuesday evening.BLACK RIVER
Mrs. Albert Severe, Alice and
Harry visited at the home of
Mrs. Victor Brink and Ruth
Wednesday evening.Mr. and Mrs. John Slaverger,
Mrs. Victor Brink and Ruth
Mrs. Frank Sweet and Faye and
Mrs. Bakko called at the Gun-
nund Lindquist home Sunday
afternoon.Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweet
and daughter Faye of Eldred
visited at the Victor Brink
home Sunday.Mrs. Albert Severe and son
visited at the O. K. Severe
home Sunday.Rev. and Mrs. Dahl called at the
Gunnund Lindquist's Fri-
day.Ruth Brink of Concordia col-
lege in Moorhead is spending
her Christmas vacation at the
home of her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Victor Brink.Bilbert and Mrs. Henry Nelson
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Board of Education of School
Dist. 102 held its regular meet-
ing at the high school building
on Dec. 18, 1940 and was called
to order by the chairman, Mrs.
Eleanor Hanson at 8 P. M.All members present except
Bebe.
Minutes of the last regular
meeting were read and approved
as read.Motion was made and seconded
that the following bills be
allowed and paid:Garvey Valley Tel. Co.,
rent and tolls \$ 4.75
Beddy Carley Co., win-
dow guards 34.30
Northern Chev. Co., ren-
tad for Chev. 26.00
Oulton Building Co., rent
of culvert 10.00Ed. Lesk plumbing sup-
plies 25.95
Northern Elec. Supply
Co., supplies 6.45
Robertson Lbr. Co., lum-
ber 74.10
Northern Woodwork Co.,
moulding 8.10
Carl Wankberg, iron
work 23.85
General Fire Truck Co.,
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Regular meeting of the vil-
lage council held Monday, De-
cember 2nd at the Spectator of-
fice. All members present ex-
cept Gistlad.Minutes of previous meeting
were approved, and on motion
the following bills were allowed:
A. Elden, store \$ 3.00
A. Rasmek, policing 5
dances 20.00
O. Gustad, post, lamps
and fuse 1.80
M. H. Jackson, groceries 5.86
O. Hauge, police 1 dance
Service Motor Garage
repairs 2.50
Barzen Eder, coal 20.00
C. Schantzen, Judge of
election 8.20
M. Hallstrom, Judge of
election 8.20
Elmer Johnson, Judge of
election, etc. 9.20
S. M. Olson, clerk of
election 8.20
W. Corral, clerk of elec-
tion 8.20
N. S. Power Co., lights. 37.29
The Spectator were named as
clerk and judges for the annual
village election: S. M. Olson.
M. Hallstrom and O. Gun-
stad.No further business, meeting
adjourned.ELMER JOHNSON,
Clerk.

O. Gustad, Pres.

In Memoriam
In loving memory of the
Johnsons, Carl, Carrie, Eva,
Nora and Lila, who follow-
ing from Longfellow's poem espe-
cially appropriate:
A fortune and shipwreck broth-
er
We can make our lives sub-
lime
And departing leave behind us
Footprints in the sand of time
Footprints that perhaps another
Selling o'er life's solemn main
A forlorn and shipwreck broth-
er
Seeing, shall take heart again,
The Spectator and all its
readers.We wish hereby to thank all
our friends and neighbors for
the generous gift to us recently.
Mere words cannot express our
appreciation of your kindness
which shall ever be held in
grateful remembrance by us.
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